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COALITION COULD NOT LAST

—MR. DE VALERA

MANY aspects of Fianna Fail policy in the past and in the future were dealt with by Mr. de Valera when he spoke at Tullamore last night. Again referring to the vote on the Transport Bill, on which the Government was defeated, he said that by their vote in the division, the Opposition had, so to speak, tasted blood, and they were not going to refrain from it on another occasion which might be much more serious for the nation.

Even if the Opposition parties could have combined after the division to form a Government, it was quite obvious that they could not have lasted as a Government for any length of time, and that another election was almost inevitable. That being so, it was much better to have the election at once.

NATION'S RIGHTS

He believed that the history of coalition governments in other countries was sufficient proof that they were a danger. Fianna Fail had been that Government over a number of trying years. They had first maintained the nation's rights in keeping at home a sum which amounted to £100,000,000, instead of sending it away. They had to fight at the same time for the nation's rights to a free parliament, and not a parliament bound by an oath of allegiance to a country they did not want.

They had to fight a number of national matters, culminating in the enactment by the people of their own, free Constitution. During the past five years they had to defend the interests of this country, to maintain its rights and to look after its interests generally during one of the greatest wars that had ever affected mankind.

Referring to the Transport Bill, he said it was all nonsense to say that the bill proposed to take away from private owners the right to use their own lorries. It was quite the opposite to the truth to say that the workers on the railways would be harshly treated in the bill.

Mr. MacEntee's Reply to Critics

Contrasting allegedly contradictory election speeches made by members of the Opposition, Mr. Sean MacEntee, at a Fianna Fail meeting held in Ranelagh, Dublin, last night, said that they were still suffering from political shell-shock since the election had descended on them like a 12,000 lb. bomb.

They had "Big Jem" Larkin, the "30,000 word hot-air-craft-carrier of the Opposition," boasting how he had occupied the time of An Taoiseach and his Ministers in the Dail for hours and hours. He hoped that, whatever the result of the election, all the hot-air-craft-carriers would be sunk by the people's votes.

NOT NEW

Despite the risk of giving scandal to the innocent *Irish Times*, and even shocking the more sophisticated *Independent* he must tell them that, ever since the war broke out, the Government had been considering what must be done to enable our people to live and progress in the post-war world. That fact, no doubt, was less new to the "man in the street," than it appeared to be to certain news-

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papers; for the "man in the street" took an intelligent interest in public affairs.

"P.R." Not To Go

Proportional representation could not, and would not, be abolished without a plebiscite, Mr. Sean Lemass said at a meeting in Thomas street, Dublin, last night. He said that the Constitution specified proportional representation as the method of electing a Government.

An emphatic verdict against national government had been given in the last election, said Mr. Lemass, and Mr. de Valera would have betrayed the confidence of the Irish people if he had allowed such a Government to be foisted on them as the result of some backstairs negotiations, without the people being given an opportunity of expressing their views. Outside Fianna Fail, what party or group of parties was capable of forming a Government? In the case of coalition any deputy asked to join would demand his own terms. If Mr. Dillon had demanded office as Minister for External Affairs as the price of his support he would get it. A coalition government would be a danger to the country.

"BURST BUBBLE"

Speaking at Boyle, Co. Roscommon, Mr. G. Boland, referring to the Farmers' Party, said their whole attitude in the Dail was for more expenditure, and Mr. Donnellan could not say what estimate should be reduced. "They are simply a burst bubble," he added. He was surprised when he learned that the party was against the Transport Bill, which would provide more efficient and cheaper transport in backward districts.

Fianna Fail wanted a strong, stable, steady Government, especially in crises, when they did not know what might threaten them.

Candidates for the Dail Number 251

A VERY considerable reduction in the number of candidates is apparent from the nomination returns available last night. The total is 251, comp ared with 352 last year.

They are standing for 137 seats in the Dail's total of 138, Mr. F. Fahy, Ceann Comhairle, having been automatically re-elected.

The following are the parties' numbers of nominees compiled from the reports available:—

FIANNA FAIL	100
FINE GAEL	57
LABOUR	29
NATIONAL LABOUR	9
CLANN NA TALMHAN	31
INDEPENDENT	18
AILTIRI NA hAISERIGHE	7

No contest will take place in West Donegal and East Galway, where the number of nominees is the same as the number of seats. In Donegal this was due to bad luck on the part of the Clann na Talmhan candidate, Mr. H. Callaghan, whose car went on fire as he was driving to the Returning Officer's office. He arrived late. In East Galway, Martin Thornton, the professional boxer, another Clann candidate, failed to hand in his nomination.

Something seems to have gone seriously wrong with Clann na Talmhan's plans, for in Sligo and Monaghan also candidates of the party, Mr. M. Hanley and Mr. H. McAdoo respectively, failed to hand in nominations.

Last year's total nominations were:—Fianna Fail. 105: Fine Gael, 87; Labour, 71; Clann na Talmhan, 44.

List of nominations will be found in Page 4.

Fine Gael has relinquished the Kerry constituency, in one division of which Professor J. M. O'Sullivan held a seat for many years for that party. In Limerick the F.G. Party suffered a set back when Mr. M. Griffin, who had been chosen to stand for the constituency, declined to go forward for family reasons.

Reports from all over the country show that voters are apathetic, and a poll of about 60 per cent. is expected, compared with about 70 per cent. last year. It is estimated that at least 20,000 voters have emigrated since then, and a large number who are working on bogs and at other jobs away from home will not be able to get to the poll because of transport difficulties. The voting list on which the election will take place is stale, and whether the election date was fixed intentionally to avoid the new list is not known, but the effect of it is that those whose names would have been on the new list have no vote in this election.

A Neutral State

"It is regarded as treason to talk about neutrality to-day, but I want to say that, if it were not for the restoration of the ports, there would be no such thing as neutrality in Ireland," said Mr. Oscar Traynor, speaking at East Wall, Dublin, last night. "As long as this Government exists, this State will be ruled as a neutral State, and all the Dillonses and all the O'Higginses will not change that one iota," he said.

Challenge To Farmers' Leader

TWO references were made by Ministers yesterday to the statement made by Mr. Donnellan, leader of Clann na Talmhan, in connection with the Defence Conference.

Mr. Donnellan was reported as saying: "Unless they desist forthwith, I shall be compelled to make a statement, which I shall make with a full sense of responsibility as a member of the Defence Conference, that will force them to silence." He was referring to "open hints being made by deputies and Ministers that, for fear of outside interference, Fianna Fail should be returned with an over-all majority to face such an eventuality."

"If members of the Defence Conference behave in this way, I fail to see what further useful purpose the Conference can serve," remarked Mr. G. Boland to an *Irish Times* correspondent in Roscommon last night, when asked to comment on the statement.

Mr. Boland said he was reluctant to discuss anything in relation to the Defence Conference, but this was the second occasion since the election campaign opened that Mr. Donnellan had made the same threat. "I know of nothing," added Mr. Boland, "that would force any member of the Defence Conference to silence; and it would be much better, if Mr. Donnellan knows of anything of the kind, that he would let the public know, and stop his vague threats."

Mr. Sean MacEntee, speaking at Ranelagh, said that this was just another incident in the campaign of political terrorism and blackmail to which Ministers had been subjected. The proceedings of that Conference were highly confidential, and it remained for the man who tried to set himself up as the spokesman of the Irish farmers to threaten to break that confidence because he thought it would advance his petty party interest.

DICTATORSHIP WOULD BE DISASTROUS HERE

—DR. O'HIGGINS.

SPEAKING at Timahoe, Laoighis, yesterday, Dr. T. F. O'Higgins said that Fianna Fail suggested the giving of dictatorial powers to the Government was necessary for stability. They should remember that the Cumann na nGaedheal Government, which was in power for ten years, never had an over-all majority, and ruled the country with honesty and intelligence.

It would be a national disaster to set up in this country a dictatorship of any man or party.

Speaking at a meeting at Parnell Monument, Dublin, last night, Mr. Patrick McGilligan said that no people were so fearful of the result of this election as those who had bought Great Southern Railways shares and had not yet unloaded them.

When the Transport Bill had been circulated in the Dail, Opposition members had examined it closely, and none of them could find in it any differentiation between the honest, old-time stockholders and the gamblers who had newly acquired stocks. In view of that they had approached all possible avenues to hav the second reading of the Bill postponed until the issue of the report of the Judicial Commission that was examining these dealings in stocks. They had approached Mr. Lemass's secretary and Mr. Lemass, himself; they had approached Mr. de Valera's secretary, but none of them would make any effort to have the Bill postponed as requested.

It was only then that the Fine Gael Party put down the amendment to the second reading, in which the Government had been defeated.

Speaking at Ballsbridge, Dublin, last night, the Fine Gael candidate, Mr. John A. Costello, S.C., said that when the Constitution was amended, the present head of the Government, foreseeing the time when he would be in a minority, sponsored the constitutional change to enable him to secure that he and his party would have the advantage over their political opponents, of fighting a general election with the control of the machinery of Government in their hands. It was to be hoped that no future Taoiseach who found himself in the position of the present one, would do as he has done, and put political expediency before the public interest.

Mr. MacEntee in a speech on Thursday professed to interpret the Fine Gael attitude as meaning that they did not wish to change the Government or the policy of the Government. Neutrality was the policy of every party in the State, and no change of Government would affect that policy. Every energy of their party had been, and would be, directed towards a change of Government. which, they believed, the vital interest and security of the country demanded.

Speaking at Kilfinane, Co. Limerick, last night, Mr. G. Bennett said that various matters would be put forward to confuse the issue, as in the last election. Neutrality was scandalously worked in the election. The question of family allowances would be raised. One man, James Dillion, was principally responsible for family allowances, and Fine Gael and other parties took it up. Let the people not be diverted from the final issue—democracy or dictatorship, and on their decision rested the future Government for good or ill of this country.

MR. NORTON STILL AWAITS REPLY TO HIS CHALLENGE

"NO answer has been given to my challenge issued to the Taoiseach," said Mr. W. Norton, at Straffan last night, "to explain why the second reading of the Transport Bill could not be postponed for one month in order to give the members of the Dail elected by the people an opportunity of seeing what the judges thought of the sharks who had used advanced information to purchase railway shares at bankrupt prices in order that they could get from the Government the generous compensation provided for in the Government Transport Bill."

It was well known, he said, that some of those who had bought shares had appealed for subscriptions for the Fianna Fail Party prior to the last elections, but that fact was no reason why the Transport Bill should be rushed through, nor was there any good reason why the country should be precipitated into a general election because the Government was shovelling jam on the financial bread of the Stock Exchange speculators.

Mr. W. Davin (Labour) speaking at Ballinakill, Laoighis, yesterday, said that Mr. de Valera and Mr. Lemass were endeavouring to mislead electors by stating that the findings of the Tribunal would have nothing to do with the Transport Bill. The proposed Transport Board appeared to be a splendid imitation of Mr. de Valera's oneman Government. Mr. de Valera stated that he was opposed to the formation of a National Government, but admitted that he could not maintain neutrality without the support of other party leaders in the Dail.

CHANGE NEEDED

"The gross corruption in the body politic is, I suggest, the issue in this election," Mr. James Larkin (senior) said, addressing a meeting at Ballybough, Dublin, last night. The danger of an offensive from outside the country was the usual defence by these two astute politicians, Mr. de Valera and Mr. MacEntee. Mr. de Valera, of course, would deny that he was a politician; he would say that he was a realist. Mr. MacEntee, the modern Machiavelli, would not say anything that would not give him an opportunity of avoiding the implications arising out of his past sins of commission and omission.

A change of Government was necessary, he added. Let them go back to the principles that Lincoln fought and died for—"Government of the people by the people and for the people."

Mr. Herman Good opened his campaign for the Dublin Townships with a meeting at Leinster square, Rathmines, last night.

FARMERS' PARTY

Mr. Patrick Cogan, speaking in Avoca, Co. Wicklow, claimed support for Clann na Talmhan, which would uphold democratic government. It was a free and independent farmers' party, which would not be bought, but was always willing to co-operate with others for the benefit of the nation.

Miss E. F. Bobbett said that the Farmers' Party during its short time in the Dail had fully justified itself.

Speaking at Carrick-on-Shannon as a Clann na Talmhan candidate, Mr. James Reynolds said that for the last twenty-two years they got nothing from a native Government but promises, doles and subsidies. Leitrim should line up and see that the farmers were paid for what they produced, then the Government could keep its doles and subsidies.

Vandals at Work in Dublin Parks

Vandalism in Dublin parks continues unabated. The latest incident reported is the destruction of flowers valued at £30 by a party of women and children who recently entered Herbert Park and proceeded to a systematic uprooting of flowers from carefully laid-out beds. Gardeners and rangers who pursued them received no co-operation from a number of people who had witnessed the occurrence, and the culprits escaped. It is believed that the raid was organised with a view to stealing the flowers for sale. It is now too late in the season to attempt replacements, and the flower beds, which were designed to give an added attraction to a park which of late, owing to transport restrictions, was even more extensively visited than heretofore, have been spoiled for this season.

While continuous theft and wanton damage are common in all the parks, up to the present no such organised onslaught had been made.

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SMUTS TELLS HOW WAR WILL END

A TRIANGULAR attack, blows from the east, south and west, will end Nazidom, said Field-Marshal Smuts yesterday when he received the Freedom of Birmingham.

"Hitler's fortress is now being attacked from three sides—by Russia in the east, by the British and American forces from the Mediterranean in the south, and by the American and British forces from the Atlantic or Western Europe, in what has come to be called the second front, but is really the third front.

"The Mediterranean Front, which has already achieved such far-reaching results, may again prove pregnant for the final end. Alexander's battle for Rome, already so brilliantly begun, should therefore be carefully watched. It was in the Mediterranean area that the enemy front broke first in the Great War.

THE TOTAL VIEW

"It would be a serious mistake to concentrate all attention and hopes for victory on the coming Western Front. The public would be saved much unnecessary anxiety by this total view of the triple line of attack. I am inclined to be more optimistic than many about the duration of the Japanese war after Hitler has been finished."

Field-Marshal Smuts described the Commonwealth Prime Ministers' Conference, just concluded, as "wonderful," and said: "I do not think our Commonwealth has ever been in better shape than to-day.

POST-WAR WORK

"Irreparable damage and even the cracking of civilisation may ensue if the war is not finished as soon as is humanly possible. I put the problem of Europe—of her salvaging and rehabilitation—first in our programme of world reconstruction after this war.

"Second on our post-war peace programme I would place establishing the new world organisation for security against war. It would almost inevitably be an improved and reformed version of the old League of Nations."

Labour's woman candidate, Miss Louie Bennett, hands in nomination papers and £100 note at Rathmines Town Hall.

ALLIED AIR OFFICERS SHOT IN GERMANY

FORTY-SEVEN officers of the British, Dominions and Allied Air Forces have been shot by the Germans after a mass escape attempt from a prison camp.

Mr. Eden, British Foreign Secretary, gave this news to the House of Commons yesterday, and the concern of members was reflected in their expressed desire for more information. The Press Association Diplomatic Correspondent says that the circumstances surrounding the shooting must inevitably arouse deep suspicion, but that judgment must be suspended until a full report is received from Switzerland, the Protecting Power.

The most significant point, he adds, is the failure of the German authorities to report the event and the secrecy they maintained until inspecting officers visited the camp a month afterwards.

Mr. Eden said that he deeply regretted to tell the House that on April 17th, in the course of a routine visit to Stalag Luft Three, officers of the Protecting Power were informed that seventy-six officers escaped on March 22nd, that fifteen had been recaptured, forty-seven shot, and fourteen were still at large. Some of those shot were killed while resisting arrest and others in the course of a second attempt at escape.

REPORT DEMANDED

"The Government," said Mr. Eden, "are profoundly shocked by this news, and have urgently requested the Protecting Power to demand from the German Government a full and immediate report of the circumstances in which these men met their deaths, and an explanation of its failure to report the facts at once to the Protecting Power. The names of the officers shot were furnished to the representative of the Protecting Power on the occasion of his visit, and the next-of-kin have been informed.

"The House will wish me to express its deepest sympathy with the relatives and to pay tribute to the courage and high sense of military duty shown by all these gallant officers."

Mr. Montague (Lab.) said he would like to identify the Labour Party with the expression of sympathy and to express the view that they were quite satisfied with the action Mr. Eden had taken.

Asked if when the report was received he would convey it to the House, Mr. Eden replied: "Most certainly I will."

FRIENDS' ANXIETY

Mr. Granville said he was sorry to press this point, but the relatives were very anxious. When the list was first published it was five, now the Foreign Secretary had said there were 47. All the relatives of R.A.F. officers in this camp were wondering whether that was the total.

Mr. Eden—No list of five or any other number was published at all. The first published statement is the statement I have made now. As far as I am aware it contains all the facts in the possession of the Government.

From letters to relatives it appears that the officers were bored with their life in the prison camp, and some had made several attempts to escape. The Press Association Diplomatic Correspondent points out that R.A.F. personnel are warned that if they escape from imprisonment they should not resist re-arrest, and that, according to Article 54 of the Prisoners of War Convention, imprisonment is the most severe disciplinary punishment which may be inflicted.

Stalag Luft Three is near Dresden.

"MOST CRUCIAL STAGE OF THE WAR"

"THE war has approached its most crucial stage," declared Mr. Cordell Hull, United States Secretary of State, in New York yesterday.

"The ultimate collapse of the armed forces of our enemies is certain," he said, "and we can hasten that collapse if we continue to maintain at every moment our utmost effort in complete unity with the other nations associatetd with us in this war.

"The coming victory throws into clearer and sharper focus some of the tremendous tasks and problems which we shall face at the end of hostilities. Neither this country nor the world could stand a repetition of the bitter resentment among nations, and retaliatory actions and the economic chaos and depression which finally helped to plunge us into this war.

"After this war international economic relations must be developed through co-operative measures. There must be international arrangement for currency stability as an aid to commerce and the settlement of international financial transactions.

"Through international investment, capital must be made available for the sound development of latent natural resources and productive capacity in relatively undeveloped areas. Above all, provision must be made for reduction or removal of unreasonable trade barriers, and for the abandonment of trade discriminations in all forms.

"Leadership toward a new system of international relationships in trade and other economic affairs will devolve very largely upon the United States because of our great economic strength. We should assume this leadership, and the responsibility that goes with it, primarily for reasons of pure national self-interest."

BRITISH EFFORT

Mr. Oliver Lyttelton, British Minister of Production, told the Cambridge University Conservative Association last night that there was no further mobilisation, human or material, that Britain could undertake. A war economy would still be necessary to bring the greatest impact to bear against Japan, and for the task of occupying Europe to maintain peace.

"I have no fears that the people of this country will give way to a feeling of relaxation or holiday when Germany is beaten," he said. "The psychological effects upon us all when the lights go up will be great. No one will object to a holiday spirit for a few days. It mustn't be longer."

Mr. Lyttelton gave this picture of British sacrifices to war production: Total imports, other than food, had fallen to less than fifty per cent., and those which went to civilian consumption to about ten per cent. of the pre-war average. Imports of raw material for industry were, in 1943, down to about forty per cent. of the average of pre-war years, and yet the total industrial production of the United Kingdom was about forty per cent. higher than it was in 1938. This was a startling achievement.

Need for Women Police to Cope with V.D. Problem

A WOMEN'S police force to patrol the Dublin quays, regarded by the Civic Guards as the city's chief venereal disease infection point, is called for by members of the Joint Committee of Women's Bodies, to whom an *Irish Times* reporter spoke yesterday. A previous demand by the Committee for women police was turned down.

Many girls are so ignorant of the danger that they do not seek treatment at an early stage of the disease. This ignorance and apathy are the biggest problem facing the health authorities. It is particularly noticeable in provincial towns, where a number of general practitioners, to whom the reporter spoke yesterday, estimate that 25 per cent. of victims do not go to the medical officers of health in time. A few are treated by other doctors, but most of the victims of syphilis live in a fool's paradise after the first symptom has disappeared. Frequently the disease does not come to light until they attend hospital with another complaint.

With the numbers at Dublin's two existing clinics increasing by about 500 patients in the past year, the situation, from a medical point of view, was growing impossible before the announcement that units were being provided in other hospitals. While it was not possible to get figures last night, it was learned that Westmoreland Lock Hospital, which caters for women only, is full. Since the discovery of modern methods of treatment, it is now necessary to remain in hospital only in the advanced stages.

LOUNGE BARS

The extraordinary difficulties with which the police have to contend in dealing with the problem of soliciting in some lounge bars were explained to an *Irish Times* reporter yesterday. A Guard, with an Inspector or Sergeant, visits the lounge bars once a month. Only when they find a convicted prostitute soliciting can they take action against the publican. When they see a convicted prostitute on the premises, they must, before interfering, allow her a reasonable time to drink. A Guard is generally posted to watch suspected premises. If he finds that convicted prostitutes frequent it to a great extent objections can be raised to the licence. The law is often ineffective because few of the women who frequent the four or five "black-listed" Dublin lounge bars are convicted.

ELSEWHERE

The rise in the incidence of venereal disease is not confined to Eire. When the campaign against the disease opened in England a little over a year ago it was announced that 70,000 new cases were occurring yearly among civilians alone. In America the results of a survey made over five years—from 1935 to 1940—by the American Social Hygiene Association showed the syphilis rate for the nation was 3.24 per cent—a figure which was computed from 1,897,599 blood tests.

Another report by the same organisation, published in 1942, showed that a reduction had been effected in the number of cases in the U.S. Army. This stood at 90 for each thousand men in 1918; in 1941-'42 the figure was down to 40 per thousand.

The study of American methods of treatment by a medical officer from Ireland undoubtedly will prove of assistance to fighting the disease here. Considerable progress has been made by the U.S. Public Health Service research workers, and two years ago the chief of the organisation, Surgeon-General Thomas Farren, announced that tests had shown a new drug—sulfathiazole — capable of curing at least 80 per cent. of all gonorrheal infections in a very short time. Slower cures, he added, could clear up the remaining 20 per cent.

The new scheme in Ireland provides for the establishment of three clinics—at Jervis street, the Mater and St. Michael's Hospitals. In Great Britain, where Ministry of Health reports showed a sharp rise in venereal disease in 1940, and a sharper one in the following year, clinics for free treatment were set up by County and County Borough Councils

When publicity against the diseases first appeared in English newspapers there was some outcry against the advertisements, but objections soon died down as the importance of the campaign was impressed upon the public.

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Two more wat correspondents have been killed in Italy—Cyril Bewley (40), of Kemsley newspapers, and Roderick Macdonald (32), of the *London News Chronicle* and the *Sydney Morning Herald*. They had just left a car to take cover in a field, but walked into a minefield.

Sharp Gains in G.N.R. Stocks

VARIOUS rumours have been current in connection with the marked rise in Great Northern Railway stocks on the Dublin Exchange during the past week.

The general belief is that the company has settled its liabilities in respect of taxation and war damage contributions. The report for 1943, issued in February, stated that the excess profits tax had not been resolved, and that legislation necessary to determine the liability of the railway companies for war damage contributions was awaited.

While the company is unlikely to be affected by the reorganisation of transport in Eire, there is talk that the Northern Ireland Government is formulating a plan for reorganising its own services, which would be of considerable benefit to the G.N.R.

Yesterday speculators were taking profits on the Ord. stock, with the result that the price closed below the best. The other issues went further ahead on good buying.

The following table shows how prices have risen in the past week:

	Price a week ago.	Price yesterday.	Rise.
G.N.R. Ord.	20½	25½	5
G.N.R. Pref.	39½	45	5½
G.N.R. Guar.	62½	64½	2½

The Deb. closed a shade lower on the week at 86.

It is worth recalling that at one time, in 1940, £100 of G.N.R. Ord. stock could have been bought for thirty shillings! In the two years before that it moved between 2½ and 6½. In 1939 the Pref. fell below 5 at one time.

Wants to Become American Citizen

—U.S. REPORT

The *New York Post*, in a despatch from Washington yesterday, said that the Duke of Windsor had resigned his post as Governor of the Bahamas.

"He will attempt to become an American citizen as soon as it is accepted," said the despatch.

There was no immediate confirmation of this report in New York, and no official confirmation of the report was forthcoming in London last night, says Reuter.

A British Colonial Office spokesman told Reuter late last night: "We have no knowledge of the matter whatever."

TANKS BREAK INTO HITLER LINE

Attack on a Wide Front

FRENCH troops and American tanks have broken into the Hitler Line fortifications, according to an Associated Press correspondent with the Fifth Army before Santa Olivia.

The first Allied troops entered Santa Olivia at the very centre of the Hitler Line late on Thursday, and by yesterday had fought their way to the top of the hill on which the town is located.

The Germans counter-attacked yesterday morning, but after several hours' fighting the Fifth Army forces were still holding their ground.

A front-line message says that the Allies are hammering all along the front at the new mountain wall manned by the Germans after the retreat.

Santa Olivia, only four miles from Pico on the inland road supplying the German front, is at the tip of a wedge driven into the mountains between Pontecorvo and Esperia, captured by the French.

A successful drive to Pico would put the Allies a good five miles due west of Pontecorvo, and would render the Hitler Line useless.

Reporting on the fighting in this sector, the German Radio, quoting a High Command bulletin, stated last night that Allied forces launched an attack on a wide front. "The attack was particularly severe at Pontecorvo and Santa Olivia," said the report. "Forces which advanced were sealed off by a counter-attack. Heavy battles are still going on.

"In the Pontecorvo direction the Allies' artillery fire has increased to a heavy barrage. Repeated, though unsuccessful, Allied attacks with infantry and tank support were launched."

Along the upper margin of the Liri valley Polish troops have driven westward from Monastery Hill to within a mile and a half of Piedemonte, one of the Hitler Line's northern strongholds.

Tank spearheads, breaking a path for the British and Canadians forging north-west along the valley floor, have driven the German front back to a line running south from Aquina airport. The advance in the valley is now at least five miles from the Rapido.

ACCORDING to an A.P. despatch from Naples, the Allies, since the offensive began, have made straight-line gains of up to 17 miles, and have narrowed the distance between the main front and the Anzio beachhead to only 36 air-line miles.

In all, over 100 towns and villages have fallen into Allied hands.

TOUGH BATTLE

American troops, who fought their way six miles along the exposed coastal road through Formia, have cleared five miles of the road bending northward behind the Aurunci mountain mass to the outskirts of Itri itself.

They had a tough battle before they finally cleared up Formia. While German artillery tried to bar the road to Itri, snipers left behind had to be cleared from their nests in many buildings. Mines and booby traps were spread profusely throughout the town and the road had to be cleared.

Paratroops Cut Japanese Supply Route in Burma

REPORTS from Admiral Mountbatten's Headquarters and Chungking gave this news yesterday:—

North Burma—General Stilwell's American and Chinese troops already hold the western part of Myitkyina (30 miles west of the border), and are closing on this railhead town from north and south as well. A road block to the north-west is preventing the enemy from bringing fresh troops to the scanty garrison from their base at Mogaung, 25 miles away.

Western Yunnan—The Chinese are pushing down the western slopes of the first range of mountains astride their path to Burma.

General Stilwell's forces and British paratroops on the western side of the "hump," a Chinese spokesman said, have cut the Japanese communications between Myitkyina and Bhamo, and their only supply route now open is from Lassio, along the Burma road.—(Reuter.)

Reuter's Special Correspondent with the Chinese-American forces before Myitkyina, cables that the fight for Myitkyina is well under way, and sections of the town on the western side are already in Allied hands. "The town may fall at any time."

Chinese troops are threatening Kamaing, some 10 miles north of Mogaung, while units of the Chinese 38th Division have advanced about two miles east of Tarongyang.

Stating that Sourabaya, one of Japan's key bases in the Netherlands East Indies, was raided twice by Allied bombers on Wednesday and Thursday, Tokio radio yesterday said that "Allied naval and air task forces from India are carrying out another of their bold sweeps—this time in conjunction with United States Pacific forces." The broadcast added, according to an Associated Press Correspondent, that fifty bombers, coming from the direction of the Indian Ocean, carried out the first attack. "It seems as though they came as a portion of a task unit based on aircraft carriers."

Big Air Fights When Berlin Was Raided

Strong forces of American bombers carried out attacks on Berlin and Brunswick in daylight yesterday. It was the first day's outing for American heavy bombers since Monday last, when they attacked the Pas de Calais area. Technical forces of bombers and fighters were over France in the morning and evening.

There were between 500 and 750 heavy bombers, with about an equal number of escorting fighters, says the Press Association Air Correspondent. Unsettled weather, and, particularly cloudy conditions over the Continent, have been responsible for the last three days lull in the pre-invasion blows.

German broadcasts maintained a running account of air battles over the Reich. German fighters went up to intercept bomber formations heading east, it was stated, and at noon violent air battles were reported over Osnabrueck, the last big German freight yard between Berlin and the Channel coast. Strong forces of bombers flew in in two waves, according to to the German accounts, and particularly heavy combats developed with the powerful escort of long-range fighters, which sought to force the German fighters back before they could attack the bombers.

Seventy-two German planes were shot down by fighters, and fifty-three by bombers, states U.S. air communiqué. Twenty-six bombers and nineteen fighters are missing.

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BOOKS OF THE WEEK

William Blake

A Man Without A Mask. (William Blake.) By J. Bronowski. Secker and Warburg. 8/6 net.

MR. BRONOWSKI should already be known to readers as the author of that excellent study, "The Poet's Defence." The present writer has also been fortunate enough to hear him deliver an unpublished (?) lecture on Gay's "Beggar's Opera." On that occasion the critical method applied to the "Beggar's Opera" was an approach through economic and social history. In capable hands, this approach can yield valuable and sometimes startling results. Gay was an obvious enough case in which to apply it; and Mr. Bronowski made it pay its full return. Now he has applied the method to a figure a hundred years later.

At first sight Blake is not very promising material on which to bring the economic critique to bear. Admittedly, even the most casual reader of Blake will remember the "dark satanic mills," and may agree that they suggest a line of inquiry. But in Blake there is so much else that is personal or transcendental in apparent origin: the imagery, for example, of the lyrics, is so far removed from Adam Smith or Malthus, that we seem compelled to look for other motives as well.

The interest of Mr. Bronowski's treatment is that although he concentrates almost entirely on the economic interpretation he never tries to crowd the others out, or to explain them away in terms of his own. He may suggest, he may even prove to the satisfaction of some, that Blake's mystical visions, *as they are transmitted to us*, are at every point conditioned by the social and political history of his time. But nowhere does he suggest that the mysticism was any the less real for that. Whatever tools Mr. Bronowski uses, he remains a free man.

He maintains in this book also that whatever oddness there may be in Blake's finished works, he contrived to remain sane. There can be no doubt but that Mr. Bronowski's analysis has made it easier for us to consider Blake sane. But the price may be considered excessive, as when we discover that "Urizon" and "Fuzon," figures in his remote and grand mythology, are none other than "Your Reason" and "Fusion," and play a drably dialectical part.

We are grateful for any excuse to vindicate Blake from the charge of being a madman. Mr. Bronowski's main contention is that Blake, economically depressed as a craftworker throughout his life and politically repressed by the trend of governmental action during the period, came to wrap up his meaning more and more through fear of a censorship which was partly actual in the world around him, but more perhaps symbolical in himself. This view is valuable, but is unlikely to be final. Mr. Bronowski's book is short, and a great deal of it is occupied with background more than with Blake. But Blake's writings are voluminous, and though Mr. Bronowski quotes judiciously, a determined transcendentalist could no doubt quote a great deal of recalcitrant matter.

Further, as Mr. Bronowski points out, Blake's symbolism is constantly shifting, which endangers any interpretation on so small a compass as this. But for the sake of clarity, a small compass is an advantage, so long as the author has a solid respect for his subject. Mr. Bronowski has this respect; he never does violence to Blake himself. Blake emerges at least as large as life, and any critic who can achieve this deserves to be read.

General Reading

Overture to Life. By John Michael Townend. Rich and Cowan. 7/6 net.

THE author of this little book is a young man who was sent to various stations in Canada and the United States in the course of his training as a pilot in the British Fleet Air Arm. In his preface he mentions that his book originated as a series of letters to his parents from the different places in which he found himself; later he was prevailed upon to publish his experiences and observations. His record is a curious mixture of shrewd perception and ingenuous philosophy. If he had contented himself with describing the people he met and the American cities he visited, "Overture to Life" might have been more successful from the point of view of the ordinary reader; as it is, his tendency to theorise about the great scheme of things is a little irksome for those who are not related to the author. The whole book gives the reader an embarrassing impression that he is watching a young man indulging in a spiritual strip-tease for the benefit of his parents.

Horses of Britain. By Lady Wentworth. Collins. 4/6 net.

Every noteworthy variety of horseflesh, from the toy-like Shetland pony to the Shire and the Clydesdale, which weigh not less than a ton, is described in Lady Wentworth's pleasantly illustrated little volume. She discusses horses from the historical, utilitarian, sporting and breeding viewpoints, and her work constitutes a very handy reference book on its subject.

It is unusual to find a horse enthusiast taking so realistic an attitude as she does to the future of hunting. She writes of the "almost tyrannical code of sartorial despotism and etiquette which was fast turning a free sport into a dress parade" in some English hunting communities. In Ireland, however, "it is not dress that matters on the hunting field," and she hopes that the sport will be as popular as ever in this country after the war.

World Black-Out. By Sarah Gertrude Millin. Faber and Faber. 15s. net.

There comes a time in every reader's life when he is so much concerned with immediate contemporary events that he has lost all interest in the near past. In this respect Mrs. Millin has been unfortunate in the timing of the appearance of her diary of the first year of the present war. Mrs. Millin is a fine writer; her biography of General Smuts earned her a well-deserved reputation; she is a good observer, and at times sees further than most men; but as one unravels a past—even a past so lately dead—one feels like an archæologist in the ruins of Babylon. In the years when the confusion is over and the results are plain, her diary will be read and will be an important document, the more interesting in its South African background.

"The Bell"

The Bell. May, 1944. 1/6 net.

The May issue of *The Bell* contains a brief explanation of quaternions by Eric Cross, and an unusual and good short story by Bryan MacMahon. The editor writes on "One World," Micheal MacLiammoir on "Some Talented Women," and R. R. Figgis on "Paint and Prejudice." The most notable item of all, however, is a letter on "Eire and the Commonwealth," which should lead to a good correspondence. All the usual features are included.

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THE GREAT EGOTISTS

By Francis MacManus

ANOTHER book about the poet, Ronsard, has been published; and while one assumes without having read the book that the author, Mr. D. B. Wyndham Lewis, will rate his subject highly, with maledictions on all dissenters, one may be fairly certain that he cannot rate the poet as highly as the poet rated himself. In fulness of self-esteem, Ronsard was almost beyond the beyonds. He went even further in his judgment of himself and of his contemporaries than a conceited ass—which he was not—would dare to go. He went further than an eminent Gaelic writer who, to illustrate his contempt for his fellows, once spilt a drop of beer on a public-house counter, wiped it away with a dramatic sweep of his hand and said: "Writers! Writers! I could write them off the map just like that." That writer's self-assurance was strong and not without a very considerable foundation, but it was timid compared with Ronsard's.

Speaking for Posterity

This superb, brazen, overbearing egotism is not uncommon among great writers and those who think themselves great; and it should not seem peculiar to an age of self-advertisement; but it does sound a little odd, as if the poets had not the decency to wait to be told what they already knew.

It is not the egotism of a man who knows from training and experience that he can turn out a good job; no one thinks any the less of the carpenter who says that the job he has completed is good, for his statement is demonstrable. Nor is it class pride, such as inspired the Gaelic poets when poetry had a fixed and honourable place, not a dubious and unregarded isolation, in a social order. The great egotists go farther than pride of performance or of caste. They anticipate the judgment of posterity. "I have no fear for my music," said Beethoven. "It can meet no evil fate. Those who understand it must become free from all miseries that others drag with them." And to the declaration of one musician might be added the monitions to posterity of other musicians, painters, dramatists, and, of course, the poets. There is a story that Augustus John went about the Slade School scrawling wherever the fancy took him, with some irreverence and much self-confidence: "There was a man sent from God, whose name was John."

Somewhere in the vast verbal output of Mr. Shaw one may discover without much labour evidences of the grand egotism; and is not his opinion of Shakespeare a suggestion for a monumental comparative study by some American university, a mountain of toil to be brought forth from what may be an Irishman's mouse of a joke? Yeats, they say, was not without the kingly air. Then, there was Dante. With his "Divine Comedy" hardly begun, and while he was still wandering hell's paths, he did not hesitate about finding a place for himself among the poets whom he, with his restricted but intensely cultivated knowledge of antiquity, considered the great writers. He set himself sixth after Virgil, Homer, Horace, Ovid and Lucan. To many of his envious contemporaries it must have seemed that he had nerve and neck, so to speak; but there were few judges in the succeeding centuries who thought his claim immodest. Yet Dante's claim is mildly and decently expressed in comparison with the reiterated claims of Pierre de Ronsard.

The Prince of Poets

Dead in 1585 at the age of sixty-one after a life of courts, travel, leisure, study, women, wine and frolics, with glory, glory all the way, he had set out, with Du Bellay and other men of the *Pleiade* to recreate the French language and to make it comparable to the cultivated Greek and Latin of antiquity. He had wealth and leisure, and he knew how to work hard; so that he more or less fulfilled his ambition. For forty years he was the arbiter of taste in France, an oracle against whom no dog dared to bark, the prince of poets, the maker of a new tradition in French verse. Then he died, and oblivion, or something like it, descended thickly on his reputation for two centuries, till the Romantics and Hugo and Sainte-Beuve took him up. Even now there are few who venture to explore all his writings, being content with some sonnets or a song or two, remembering him chiefly for Helene, whose coldness exasperated an ageing man into some of his finest verse. This neglect is a pity; because even in the controversial verses he wrote about the religious wars of his time, there is much that is still apt, still illuminative, like those lines of his that he wrote, while he was locked in his room during three days of anger, about Paris besieged with war billeted in her suburbs, while helmets and stabbing swords flashed and reflashed in the streets and the fields, and the dejected workers, the common people, dragged away their cattle, bedding and children in terror.

But while he lived, there was Pierre de Ronsard satiated with glory, the deified Cæsar of letters. He said that the Muses had taken him to themselves and crowned his brows with myrtle, and that no envy could remove his crown. He said that he had laboured to exalt *ma langue maternelle*, that he had coined new words and revived old ones, and left poetry in such a condition that the French were equal to the Romans and Greeks. And to his contemporaries, some of whom could not have felt soothed by his imperial pride, he said that they were filled with his plenitude, that he was their sole study, that they were the issue of him and his Muse; his subjects, he alone being their king; his streams, he being the fountain. He had taken the measure of his achievement, and he was confident of his self-appointed peerless position in literature and of his immortality. Perhaps he was right. One cannot hold the oblivion that curtained his reputation on a death-bed for two centuries against the truth of his claim, for better men have known the dark.

FIRST WINTER

By Maurice James Craig

BACK, like a tide of light, our summer dream
   Flows in, converging on the hearth we call
Our own this winter. As a burning coal
Remits the payment long deferred in time,
(Poured in, sealed up, encrusted thick with rime;
Thawed slowly out, but still remaining cool
Till it's touched off)—our buried capital
Bears interest again, flares forth as flame.

Circles are round, no matter where they're started:
Winter's no late time, spring no early one.
When the superfluous hearth is hollowest-hearted
Replenishment begins, and cunningly
The chairs, who know their parts better than we,
Turn the cold shoulder there, and face the sun.

The Story of Spain

By Frank Pierce

The Civilisation of Spain. By J. B. Trend. Oxford University Press (Humphrey Milford). 3/6 net.

IN this small, but comprehensive, book Professor Trend, of Cambridge, has achieved something of which few specialists are capable: he has written a lively and exceedingly readable account of the story of Spain. Drawing on his full and well-digested knowledge and experience of the Peninsula, he writes for the curious and intelligent layman, giving detail where necessary, but avoiding any pedantic amassing of facts.

Professor Trend has been writing in this manner of cultured popularisation for many years, and his recent monograph, "South America," may be taken together with the present study to form an original, yet true, picture of Spain's history and contribution to civilisation. In the present work he has shown special care in making his presentation actual and living; as when he sees the ancient Phœnician and Greek traders in Spain as counterparts of modern European business men exploiting Spain's raw materials; when he compares Viriatus, the Portuguese shepherd-hero of Roman times, to Pancho Villa, of modern Mexico; when he talks of Moslem Spain as "occupied Spain," or likens the mediæval *Santa Hermandad* to the Home Guard. At times this approach to the subject becomes forced, but at its best it is refreshing and suggestive.

He sees clearly Spain's position in European history, and relates it convincingly to the various lands and peoples which influenced her and which, in turn, were influenced by her, whether it be Rome, Islam, mediæval Jewry, France, Italy, England or the Americas. The unification under Ferdinand and Isabella and the imperial expansion and final collapse under the Hapsburgs are well knit into a coherent whole. Philip II is described as having "the virtues of a German civil servant," that is, bureaucratic thoroughness and narrowness, with a paternal regard for all his subjects, but with no real tyranny in his make-up. This same period is vividly illustrated by extracts from the Spanish classics in prose and verse, in an attempt to portray the dynamic Spaniard who found defeat and disillusionment as the rewards for seemingly inexhaustible energy and opportunities.

Eighteenth and nineteenth century Spain is envisaged as a period when the best elements in the country made valiant efforts to recover from the deadening effect of a useless traditionalism and an all-engulfing isolationism, and when the forces of an arrogant Castilian centralism, backed by an equally conservative church and an unshakable mediævalism, periodically undid attempts to give the Peninsula new life and strength by opening a door on Europe. Thus the author rightly sees Spain's recent unhappy history as but an exacerbated version of what has frequently occurred since she lost her position as mistress of two worlds. The spontaneous and natural expressions of a healthy autonomous spirit (as in the case of Catalonia and the Basque Country), which has produced most of the enduring qualities in Spanish civilisation, have only too often, and too tragically, been crushed by a short-sighted desire for an unnaturally stringent uniformity in government and culture. Professor Trend has already written at length on the most influential figure in the progressive life of modern Spain, Giner de los Rios, and he here gives him his due place as educationist and educator in her long history.

He wisely ends his exposition at 1936, leaving an account of the bloody triennium of 1936-1939 to be written if and when the full facts are known and a truly historical attitude is possible.

The work is accompanied by a set of clear and instructive maps, especially that showing the complicated period of the mediæval *reconquista*. Professor Trend is also to be congratulated on an equally informative and a sensibly curtailed bibliography, which includes works on Spanish arts and crafts.

The present reviewer feels nothing but the sincerest pleasure in recommending this book to all non-Hispanists who desire a lucid and arresting account of a people who lived long in the sun and have now been pushed into the shade, but who, if they be wise, can again assert their great virtues and genius. The story is old, and many parts of it are well-known and often misunderstood, but this presentation of it is fresh, impartial and sympathetically critical.

Oriental Studies

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In the interesting and unexpectedly extensive *catalogue raisonné* of Irish contributions to Oriental Studies in last Saturday's *Irish Times* M. Mansoor might have mentioned that, in the comprehensive universal scheme planned for the National Museum by its first designers, space was reserved for Oriental groups illustrative of the art and culture of Asia—the Chinese, Japanese and India, etc. Collections, small but representative, as they exist to-day, are the result. To them has been added the excellent small gift collection, separately shown, presented by the late Albert Bender, of San Francisco, the son of Dublin parents and an extensive collector of Orientalia, the larger part of which has gone to the local university.

It is somewhat unfortunate that these hinging collections have, owing to spacing conditions, to be shown at some distance from one another.

To his personal list he might, perhaps, have added the name of Lafcadio Hearne, perhaps the most successful interpreter of the Japanese genius for Europeans.—Yours, etc.,

L. S. GOGAN, Keeper, Art Division.
National Museum of Ireland.

The Ireland of To-morrow

By Harry Allberry

Handbook of National Planning and Reconstruction. Parkside Press. 5/- net.

MANY visitors to the National Planning Exhibition, recently held at the Mansion House, Dublin, as well as those who were prevented from sharing in such a unique and thought-provoking experience, will welcome an opportunity of studying a textual elaboration of the visual display. Facts and figures collected from various unimpeachable sources, when collated and considered by the National Planning Conference, prompted its members to adopt two courses. The first was to arouse the public mind to a realisation of certain undesirable conditions in the cultural, industrial, commercial and economic life of the country; the second to submit remedial proposals from those who, by their intimate acquaintance and close connection with the various problems involved, might be considered capable of offering practical solutions.

The visitors and non-visitors to whom I have referred will find in the "Handbook of National Planning and Reconstruction" instructively and, one may say, seductively set forth, the bases upon which the Exhibition was created and suggestions for post-emergency reconstruction contributed, in brief and simple fashion, by a number of reputable authorities—in short, a picture of Ireland to-day and a conception of an Ireland of to-morrow.

A casual reader of this handbook, particularly if he be charged with an inferiority complex, may rush to the conclusion that the developments therein foreshadowed are wildly visionary and incapable of accomplishment. A careful examination and reasoned consideration of the survey of present conditions, the conclusions derived therefrom, the methods by which they may be improved and comparisons with normal conditions prevailing in some of the other smaller European countries, should, however, convince any open mind that the plans for post-emergency expansion and improvement are by no means impractical.

The volume of 200 pages covers an extensive field of interest—the public utility services; transport by sea, air, road and rail; manufactures; education; medical services; recreation; inland fisheries; the building industry, and unemployment. To each of these branches of national existence, upon which the health, comfort and general well-being of the community almost entirely depend, notable experts offer informative and interesting views. These are collected under the subjects named, thus enabling the reader to contrast opinions which, as should be the case in a work of this character, are not always in perfect accord.

The "Handbook of National Planning" is well printed and ably compiled. With its graphs and statistical records it is of permanent value for reference purposes, but the editor and the authors of the brief and business-like essays have achieved more than the production of an *aide-mémoire*. They rather have continued the good work of the Exhibition by focussing public attention and exciting the imagination; by limning an alluring prospect which, with determination and goodwill, can, at least in great measure, be attained. Indeed, it is pleasant tonic in these somewhat depressing times.

Recent Fiction

The Valley of Decision. By Marcia Davenport. Collins. 12/6 net.

THIS panoramic novel carries the story of a family of Pittsburgh ironfounders from 1873 till 1941. It is thus, among other things, an ambitious social chronicle of the Galsworthy type. The character through whose eyes most of the events are seen starts life as an Irish servant girl, and is last seen as the family's centre of gravity, the most stable of them all, the woman who at one time might have married the head of the family.

This central theme is, perhaps, a sentimental one; and it is made more stereotyped by the introduction of a brother as a labour agitator. But the book is ambitious in scope, and many of the incidents are "strong meat." It has rather the air of being to a formula; but the vividness with which the industrial background is realised gives it some individuality. It is done competently and with feeling; and so far as a novel of these dimensions and this type can be anything but shapeless, "The Valley of Decision" has shape of a kind. But the abundance of books of this type seems to suggest that shorter novels of comparable weight are more difficult to write and better worth reading.

The Grand Design. By David Pilgrim. Macmillan. 10/6 net.

"David Pilgrim" is the nom-de-guerre of a team of two joint-authors, Messrs. John Palmer and St. George Saunders, the latter of whom has lately won reputation for a very different class of composition from this fine historical novel. "The Grand Design" is a sequel to "No Common Glory," and continues the adventures of James de la Cloche, secret agent and natural son of King Charles II of England: unhappily, no hint is given that a third volume will be forthcoming.

It is right to say at once that "The Grand Design" stands very high in its class. There is a good deal of history in it; for its centrepiece is the great coalition with which Charles II—who never has received his due as a statesman—sought to establish the balance of Europe and the strength of England. But its quantum of history, while substantially more accurate than Dumas's, is as cunningly subordinated to the theme as ever Dumas contrived; and the result is an immensely readable tale, with an interesting hero and a charming heroine. For the benefit of those who have read the earlier tale, "The Grand Design" represents a notable improvement even upon "No Common Glory"; and its changes of scene—from London to Paris, Naples, Flanders and Rome—give a fine picture of a brilliant period in European affairs.

There Was an Old Woman. By Ellery Queen. Gollancz. 8/6 net.

Mr. Ellery Queen (author) has a talent for thinking out crazy situations, Mr. Ellery Queen (criminologist) for getting himself embroiled in them. The latest is the craziest yet. The old woman of the title has made her considerable fortune in shoes, sleeps in a bed shaped like a shoe, and treats her fantastic assortment of children after the manner of her prototype in the nursery rhyme. Two of the children meet in a duel; neither ought to have been killed (thanks to Mr. Queen), but one was; and from there onwards the incredible tale of events unfolds itself. This is as good as anything that Mr. Queen (the author) has done, though this reviewer is inclined to believe that a slip, fatal to the argument, has been made in the course of Ellery's exposition.

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PUBLIC MEETINGS
TO-MORROW (Sunday), 21st May—LEINSTER ROAD, HAROLD'S CROSS, at 11.30 a.m.
TO-MORROW (Sunday) Evening—THORNCASTLE STREET, RINGSEND, at 8.30 p.m.
MONDAY NEXT (22nd May)—BALLSBRIDGE, 8 p.m.

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"MR. BOLFRY."
OLYMPIA
"DUBLIN TO-NIGHT"
MEMORIES OF "LILAC TIME."
ABBEY
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THEATRES, CINEMAS AND PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS

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Metropole Band, under direction of Phil Murtagh.

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Ruth Terry and "Big Boy" Williams, Robert Lowery and Marie McDonald, in
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Book Now for Sunday Night.
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ASTORIA DUN LOAGHAIRE. At 4.5, 6.30, 8.40.
BING CROSBY, FRED MACMURRAY, in
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SUNDAY:
CHESTER MORRIS, ANN SAVAGE, in "AFTER MIDNIGHT."
Also "HENRY GETS GLAMOUR."
MONDAY:
Robert Donat Madeleine Carroll, in "THE 39 STEPS."

GRAND CENTRAL 3.15 to 10.30.
3.55, 6.16, 8.37.
Robert Taylor, Walter Pidgeon,
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CHURCH NOTICES.

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YOUNG PEOPLE'S FESTIVAL
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FLOWER SERVICES,
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), 21st MAY, 1944.
11.0 a.m.—Rev. A. W. GAMBLE.
7.15 p.m.—Rev. ALFRED COLLINS.
Music by Children's Choir at both Services will include:
"The Lord is my Shepherd" (Smart),
"O for the wings of a Dove" (Mendelssohn),
"Pioneers" (Martin Shaw).
At the organ—Kenneth N. Crowe.
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TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), 21st MAY, 1944.
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11.30 a.m.—The Master Workman.
7.30 p.m.—A Game of Chance and Skill.
Preacher:
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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Also Lupe Velez in "Ladies' Day."
SUNDAY:
GRETA GYNT, in "TOO DANGEROUS TO LIVE."
Also "OVER THE WALL"
Mon.: "The Phantom of the Opera."

REGENT CINEMA, BLACKROCK.
LIONEL BARRYMORE, SUSAN PETERS,
In
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SUNDAY:
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NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the above, who died on the 3rd day of November, 1943, are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of July, 1944, to furnish particulars (in writing) of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate was granted on the 9th day of May, 1944, forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice in Ireland.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said 1st day of July, 1944, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which particulars shall have been furnished as above requested.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1944.
GUINAN and SHEEHAN, Solicitors for Executors, 39 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
WILLIAM BOYCE, late of Raheen Moor, Killena, Gorey, Co. Wexford, Farmer, Deceased.

All persons claiming to be next-of-kin of above, who died on 10th February, 1937, are requested to send particulars of their relationship forthwith to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administrator.

The Deceased was son of George Boyce, and his mother, before her marriage, is believed to have been Mary Robinson, from the District of Kiltane, Enniscorthy. Deceased's parents formerly resided at Mount Howard, Monamolin, Gorey. Deceased died Intestate, and his next-of-kin will be entitled to his Estate.

Dated 17th day of May, 1944.
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QUESTION TIME

THIS week-end, by courtesy of the Great Northern Railway, Press and Advertising men meet at Bundoran, in friendly rivalry at Golf and—Question Time (broadcast on Sunday night).

It will not be inapt therefore to pose two important questions of general interest, and to give the answers as established by a British trade association investigation.

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DESMOND FITZGERALD (ex-Minister for Defence).
WILL ADDRESS PUBLIC MEETINGS ON
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY),
21st MAY,
AT

TALLAGHT	11.30 a.m.
SAGGART	12 o'clock
MALAHIDE	12 o'clock
SWORDS	12.30 p.m.
FOXROCK	4 p.m.
MONKSTOWN	9 p.m.

On MONDAY, 22nd May:
AT BLACKROCK, 8.30 p.m.
On TUESDAY, 23rd MAY:
AT BOOTERSTOWN 8 p.m., and GLASTHULE 8.30 p.m.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

ROINN COSANTA
(Department of Defence).
TENDERS FOR PAINTING.

The Minister for Defence will receive sealed tenders up to, but not later than, noon, on the 5th June, 1944, for Painting Work at the undermentioned Military Barracks and Posts:—
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Arbour Hill Barracks, Dublin.
St. Bricin's Hospital, Dublin.
Magazine Fort, Dublin.
Buncrana Military Post, Co. Donegal.
Sarsfield Barracks, Limerick.
Fermoy Aerodrome, Co. Cork.
Curragh Training Camp.

Copies of the Specifications, etc., may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Defence (Contracts Branch, S.4.F.), Parkgate, Dublin, on lodgment of a fee of £1 1s. 0d. (one guinea) in respect of each Specification. The fee will be refunded on the return of the documents.

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The Minister does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

PEADAR MacMATHGHAMHNA, Rúnaidhe.
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AN ROINN OIDEACHAIS.
BRAINSE AN CHEARD-OIDEACHAIS.
BARANTAS MUINTEORA CHLO-SCRIOBHNOIREACHTA.
TRIAIL I MODHANNA MUINTE, 1944.

Tionolfar an scrudu speisialta i Modhanna Muinte Chlo-Scriobhnoireachta ar an 4adh Iuil, 1944. Ba cheart iarrtaisi a dheanamh AR AN bhFUIRM IARRTAIS OIFIGIUIL agus ni mor iad a bheith i n-Oifigi na Roinne ROIMH AN 15adh MEITHIMH, 1944, AR A DHEIDHEANNAIGHE. Feadfar coipeanna de'n bhfuirm iarrtais oifigiuil agus de choinghealiacha bronnta an Bharantais d'fhaghail o'n Runai, An Roinn Oideachais, Brainse an Cheard-Oideachais, Sraid Talboid, Ath Cliath, M.10.
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FOR OTHER GOVERNMENT NOTICE SEE PAGE 2.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

LONDONDERRY HIGH SCHOOL.
PUPILS ARE NOW BEING ENROLLED FOR SEPTEMBER, 1944.
ENTRANCE AND SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS
(Age groups—12, 11),
will be held on
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, 1st, 2nd JUNE, 10 a.m.
RESIDENT and NON-RESIDENT SCHOLARSHIPS
will be awarded on the results of these Examinations. Resident Scholarships are tenable at Greenfield, Strabane; Non-Resident Scholarships are tenable at Duncreggan, Londonderry, or at Greenfield, Strabane.
For further particulars apply to Secretary.

OBITUARY

CAPTAIN IVOR ROBERTS

The death occurred on Monday last at Stanley Hospital, Holyhead, of Captain Ivor Roberts, M.B.E., a son of the late Mr. Owen Roberts and Mrs. Roberts, Holyhead.

Captain Roberts was A.R.P. Controller for the County of Anglesey, and was formerly the L.M.S. Company's Marine Superintendent at Heysham and later at Holyhead. He entered the service of the former L. and N.W. Railway Company as a junior officer on the Holyhead-Dublin cargo service in 1895, and was later appointed to command in that service, and was ultimately appointed Commodore Captain of the Company's Holyhead-Dun Laoghaire mail steamers. He retired in 1934.

SAILORS' REST

The annual general meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary Dublin Sailors' Rest was held in the Church Hall, Ormond quay, and Scots' Church, Abbey street, on Thursday. The honorary secretary, Mrs. Lloyd-Jones, submitted the annual report, followed by Mrs. Ritchie, honorary treasurer. The reports were adopted on the motion of the Rev. J. S. Crockett, M.A., seconded by Mr. J. Hubbard Clark. The President of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Mrs. M. F. B. Bole, reviewed the year's activities, and Mr. J. Bowie, the Port Missionary, gave an address on the work being done for sailors, and congratulated the Ladies' Auxiliary on the healthy state of the finances and the growing membership.

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

TRINITY TERM, 1944.

Term Honour Examinations.

Junior Sophisters.—Modern Literature—First Rank—Johnston, Patricia M.; Morris, Margaret A.; Beaumont, Pauline J.; Gall, Moira I.; Torrie, Hazel M.; Brennan, Moyra. Second Rank—Caswell, R. N. Third Rank—Burton, G. W.; Magahy, G. S.; Moore, R. D.; Lyttle, Winifred; Delahunty, P. G. J.; Blake-Knox, P. E. A.; Naughton, Helen A.; Strawbridge, Dorothy I.

Senior Freshmen.—French — First Rank—Gray, J. E. B.; Risk, H. Second Rank—Douglas, Moira; Crawford, Louisa G.; Synge, E. G.; Baxter, Florence J.; Scott, K. N.; McGrane, Eileen M. Third Rank—Coulter, Joanna.

Modern History.—First Rank — Lester, Patricia E. Second Rank—Rasmussen, K. N. P. R.; Willoughby, J. W.; Fortsythe, Lucy B. E. Third Rank—Esler, Anne L. McC.

Junior Freshmen.—French—First Rank—Short, J. P.; Lynas, Eleanor M. B.; Nelson, Louie E.; Mowbray, R. J. C. Second Rank—Heuston, J. E. T.; Campbell, M. M.; Pappenheim, Wolfgang; Farrington, B. F.; Bateman, Olwen E.; Parker, Brian; Parker, Sheila M.; Ruddock, Ada P. Third Rank—Smyth, Kathleen N.; Hanna, B. W.; Peters, R. S.; Brewitt, Audrey K.; Millar, Ann L.

Legal Science.—First Rank — Osterberg, Alys M. Third Rank—Cooper, T. K.; Ronan, J. G.; Shott, R. A.; White, R. F. B.; Taylor, W. A.; Hickey, J. G.

IRISH WILLS

Miss Mary Olivia Kennedy, 26 Clyde road, Dublin, a former member of the editorial staff of *The Times*, £9,983 (Britain).

The Irish Times

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 1944

PRESSURE IN ITALY

After exceptionally heavy fighting, in the course of which the German troops fought with what has been described as fanatical valour, the Allied forces in Italy have broken through, and apparently have destroyed, the Gustav Line. When it was announced that the Eighth and Fifth Armies had been brought together by means of highly complicated methods of transportation across the Apennines, it became obvious that major events were afoot. Allied reports laid emphasis on the unparalleled ferocity of the Anglo-American artillery bombardment, which preceded the armoured and infantry offensive; and public opinion in Great Britain and the United States was encouraged to believe that this time a really determined attempt was being made to drive the Germans completely out of Italy. Tactically, General Alexander's offensive took the Germans by surprise; but, strategically, they had been prepared for it for quite a long time past. Not only had they fortified the Gustav Line—using the most modern methods of defence—but also they had established between that line and the city of Rome a formidable series of defensive positions, any one of which probably equalled the Gustav Line in strength. It was evident from the outset that Marshal von Kesselring had no intention to present the Allies with an easy victory. Every inch of ground was contested with the utmost tenacity. The First German Paratroop Division, probably the finest unit in the whole German Army, was thrown into the conflict, and for several days Anglo-American progress was bought at a heavy cost. The Allied troops on this front presented a most remarkable picture of the way in which all sorts of diverse military elements have been welded into a single force. In addition to troops from the United Kingdom and the United States, the armies under General Alexander's command include units of Frenchmen, Poles, Canadians, New Zealanders and Indians—possibly one of the most heterogeneous bodies of fighting men that ever have taken part in any battle. On Thursday night it was announced by Allied Headquarters in Italy that the Gustav Line had been annihilated, and that a substantial portion of the First German Paratroop Division had been destroyed in its efforts to escape. The German bulletin admitted that the devastated town of Cassino had been evacuated "without fight in favour of a bolt position further in the rear for the sake of economising in forces." Yesterday it was stated that the Germans had made further withdrawals. The Allies now are concentrating their attack on the Adolf Hitler Line, which is the next of Marshal von Kesselring's prepared positions. Cassino, which for so many months has been such a doughty centre of German resistance, lies in the rear of the Allied forces. All that is left of the famous Benedictine Monastery overlooking the town is "pulverised masonry and dust."

Now that the Gustav Line has been reduced, the *tempo* of the Allied advance in Italy may be expected to increase, although none of the Anglo-American generals underestimates the strength of the obstacles that still lie between them and Rome. Evidently the Germans are prepared to offer the utmost resistance to General Alexander's armies. They seem to have suffered fairly heavy losses; but they still have a substantial number of highly-trained divisions in Southern Italy. It is not yet certain whether the Allied offensive in Italy is an isolated incident or part of the preliminary skirmishing for the setting up of the long-expected "Second Front." From the purely military point of view, the capture of Rome—and even of the whole Italian "leg"—would not seem to be of very great significance; certainly, as an objective in itself, it hardly would be worth the sacrifice of a large number of lives and a vast quantity of material. For that reason, it is logical to assume that General Alexander's attack on the Gustav Line is an integral part of a comprehensive scheme of offensives. Speaking in Birmingham yesterday, Field-Marshal Smuts, the veteran Prime Minister of South Africa, declared that the final attack on Germany's European fortress would come from three points—from the East, from the South and from the West. A total view, he added, ought to be taken of the three fronts; the unified strategy of the triangle might bring about a final decision in Europe much earlier than the pessimists were forecasting today. There are so many conflicting reports that the layman finds much difficulty in the forming of a considered opinion. For many months now the British and American Air Forces have been making violent attacks on Germany's centres of communication not only in the Reich, but also in the occupied territories of Western Europe. The damage that has been done must have been terrific; but Mr. Larry Allen, an American newspaper correspondent, who, having been a prisoner of war in Germany, now has been released, asserted on Thursday that all the way from the Polish Corridor to Marseilles he did not see one single railway station destroyed, or even seriously damaged. At certain points, he said, as many as fifty-two "crack passenger trains" rolled through the stations every day. If Mr. Allen's testimony is accurate, those who pin their faith to the ultimate efficacy of aerial bombardment would seem to have been over-sanguine. In this war, as in every other war, the issue eventually will be decided by the private soldier—the man behind the gun. Recently events in Italy encouraged this belief. Cassino received an almost incredibly violent bombardment from the air; yet it was not until the Anglo-American forces were able to advance on foot in overwhelming numbers that the position finally fell. The most modern methods of attack are cancelled out by equally modern methods of defence. The only factor in warfare that does not change is the human factor. Whether his weapons be five-ton bombs or bows and arrows, the common soldier wins and loses every war.

The Book Shortage

The Borough Librarian of Dagenham, Essex, has entered yet another protest against the present system of paper-rationing. "Of all the war-time restrictions on the use of commodities," he says, "nothing is so heartless and callous as the rationing of paper. No account whatever is made of its final use, whether to the good of the community or not." The complaint by now is an old one, and it has been answered many times by various British Government spokesmen. It is obvious to anyone who has the slightest acquaintance with the present state of affairs in the book trade that some publishers have large stocks of paper, which they devote to the production of worthless books, while others are unable to secure enough to issue important text-books or standard classics. The official reply is that it is almost impossible to work out a rationing scheme, except upon the basis of pre-war consumption; that a scale of priorities is difficult to establish, and that a rationing system which favoured publishers of text-books would be unjust to the huge organisations which deal exclusively in the literature of entertainment. Of course, it has been suggested that official consumption of paper—in forms, letters in triplicate, orders and the like—could be cut down, with benefit to all concerned—certainly to the unfortunate form-filler. Such an economy, however, is not likely to commend itself to a Government, especially as it might entail a wholesale reconstruction of the Civil Service. Still, both readers and booksellers are dissatisfied. During the years of war there has been a revival of interest in recognised classics—the works of Jane Austen, Trollope, Fielding, Thackeray and others. Normally they would be available in unlimited quantities, but at present many of them are crowded off the market almost entirely by tawdry "library" fiction and works of topical, and, therefore, ephemeral, interest. Polonius's adjuration: "Neither a borrower nor a lender be," becomes increasingly hard to follow; for the shelves of friends now are the only resort of many a starved reader. Happily, legitimate borrowing still is possible: the public libraries are becoming familiar to more and more people. War has done at least this one service to literature.

SIR ARTHUR McNAMARA, who has been staying at the Royal Hibernian Hotel, has left Dublin.

Lady Nugent has returned to Ballinlough Castle, Clonmellon, from Dublin.

Captain and Mrs. Murray-Moore, who have been staying for the past week in Dublin, have returned to Clonmel, Co. Tipperary.

MARTIN-FANSHAWE

The engagement is announced between Albert Desmond Hutchinson Martin, B.A., B.A.I., elder son of W. E. Martin and Mrs. Martin, Ulster Bank House, Londonderry, and Peronelle Fanshawe, youngest daughter of F. R. Fanshawe and Mrs. Fanshawe, of Guernsey, and of Wellington, Shropshire.

The engagement is announced between Desmond Frederic Trench, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. B. Trench, Clonfert, Eyrecourt, and Glenda Lachlan, only daughter of Colonel A. Lachlan, Hamelton House, Newmarket, and of Mrs. S. Lachlan, 25 Harrington Gardens, S.W.

The engagement is announced between George Hume, Athy, son of Arthur and Mrs. Hume, Ballintlea House, Timahoe, Leix, and Nora Kealy, B.Sc., H. Dip.-in-Ed., daughter of Mrs. Kealy and the late Peter Kealy, of Ballytore, Co. Kildare.

The marriage arranged between Lieutenant Geoffrey Reginald Almond, B.A.I., Corps of Engineers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Almond, 30 Merton road, Rathmines, and Lydia Margaret, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Smith, 24 Belgrave square, Rathmines, will take place quietly at Sandford Parish Church on Friday, 16th June.

The marriage arranged between Con Drum, Elsinore, Howth road, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Drum, Blackrock, and Josephine Lynch, 15 Frascati Park, Blackrock, daughter of Thomas J. Lynch and the late Mrs. Lynch, White House, Ballyjamesduff, will take place quietly in June.

The marriage arranged between Cecil William, son of the late Rev. William S. Vanston, B.A., and Mrs. Florence J. Vanston, Balgownie, Bushy Park road, Rathgar, and Jean Morland McArdle, second daughter of Mr. A. A. McArdle, A.M.I.C.E.I., and Mrs. McArdle, Bella Vista, Templeogue, will take place in Zion Church, Rathgar, on June 28th, at 2 o'clock.

The marriage arranged between James, youngest son of Mrs. Lucey and the late Timothy Lucey, Sandy Hill, Macroom, and Maeve Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Reilly, Brighton place, Clonmel, will take place in July.

The marriage arranged between Mr. Kevin Donnelly, 36 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin, and Miss Suzette D'Arcy, 4 Mount Eden road, Donnybrook, Dublin, will take place quietly at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Donnybrook, Dublin, on 15th June.

The marriage between William G. Patterson, son of Mrs. and the late C. N. Patterson, of 52 Old Finglas road, Glasnevin, and Martha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Buchanan, of Springbank, Iona Park, Glasnevin, will take place quietly at Abbey Church on Friday, 2nd June, at 9 a.m.

The marriage arranged between Terence, son of the late Lt.-Col. G. W. C. Soden and of Mrs. Soden, Windsor House, Dun Laoghaire, and Jean, daughter of the late J. G. McConnell and of Mrs. McConnell, 82 Leinster road, will take place quietly at the end of May.

Dr. Kevin Malley has left 57 Merrion square until June 5th.

Ursuline Convent, Sligo, Past Pupils' Reunion will be held in the Country Shop, St. Stephen's Gn., on Wed., 31st May, at 7.30 p.m. Those who wish to attend should inform the Hon. Sec., U.C.S.P.P.U., 17 Lr. Fitzwilliam st., before 25th May.

County Hotel, Killiney—Dancing, 9 till 2, Whit Monday. Tickets available. Phone 83828.

The Switzer Hairdressing Salons offer an all-round service of the highest standard, specialising in "Switzerwave" (machineless) and Eugéne Permanent Waving.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear. — Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Lenardes are now showing beautifully tailored Costumes in two new shades.—18 Wicklow st.

Fashion smiles on the latest Lotus shoe styles at Stephens & Bourke.

A delightful wine — Gonzalez Nutty Solera Sherry.

Consult us now about your Summer Perm.—Thuillier's, 4/5 Wicklow st. Phone 71687.
Flowers for every occasion.—"Polly," Florists, Rathmines. Tel. 92664.
Sharpley's, Specialists, Baby Linen. Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List.—2 Nassau street, Dublin.

Cruiskeen Lawn

By Myles na gCopaleen

THERE'S a man that's keeping very quiet, I haven't seen his name in the papers for years. The Governor General. And what on earth has happened poor Birrell, hasn't asked me to dinner for ages! Funny how one drifts, loses contact. And Hamar Greenwood, that dear person?

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INJURED IN COLLISION, the newspaper said the other day, over a paragraph I could not bring myself to read. (I'd like to see myself bringing myself to Reid). Who . . . who that you ever in your born days heard of was ever . . . *cured* by a collision?

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A rather distressing thing happened me the other day—broke two of my legs. A nice how do you do. If it wasn't for the other two I would be completely crippled and unable to fulfil my honourable plan to place self and trap at the disposal of General Mulcahy, when the big day comes.

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People often ask me why no Irish appears in this column nowadays. The stupidity of this query would make you laugh. Are these people living in Mooneys—sorry,—in the Moon? Did they not hear . . . . there's a war on? Are they unaware that the stuff can't be got—that there hasn't been a word of Irish come into this country for near on three year? It is true that there's any amount of Irish standing on the docks in Lisbon: it is also true that all my efforts to get shipping-space have failed. Leydon won't hear of it, says that wheat, men's braces, nail varnish and camphorated blankets must come first; he says (this is funny) he says we must fall back on our own resources (ominous retro-half-nelson!) and learn to use the native brand (!!!). The deposits in Conamara, says he, must be exploited, mined, marketed. Hmmm. That might suit *some* people, just as there are men to be found who like *Irish* tobacco, *prefer* Irish coal. But not Mee. I am now trying to get a licence to import a limited amount of Irish from Boston and Cleveland. We sent it out there to mature a hundred years ago and I think it would be in great ordher be now. It would be the very thing for this warm weather.

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Keep this under your hat but I have taken to living in the outhouse. My family continues to live in the inhouse. The reason? An inbreak of typhoid. I don't know what the income of it will be. Might well lead to a private incry.

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"It is possible," General Mulcahy said the other day—derisively, I assume, "to attend a secondary school in Eire and pass for being educated without having studied Latin, science or a modern language."

Is not that rather . . . . reactionary? I know four men who make roughly £5,000 a year and they have so much stuff locked away that they just couldn't be bothered about G.S.R. or D.W.D. Not one of them knows any Latin at all, they think science is what Gene Tunney had and to one and all even H.M. English is an insoluble mystery.

"Science," is it? That . . . . that hour twice a week in that palace of stink—the "lab."! That foul insanitary waste of time! That cretinous truck with litmus! That indefensible curiosity about the specific gravity of water! That . . . . that sad unamusing cod!

SWISS DEMOCRACY

"A nation can be small, but great in a spiritual sense; a small nation need not despair of the future after seeing what Switzerland has done," said Mr. John de Courcy Ireland, speaking on "Switzerland, an experiment in Democracy," at yesterday's meeting of the Dublin University Fabian Society.

Mrs. Sheila Greene, Vice-Chairman of the Universities Branch of the Labour Party, presided.

On the language problem in Switzerland, Mr. Ireland said that Romansch had been agreed by popular vote to be the fourth national language in 1938, and the revival was continuing gradually. It had been saved without intolerance or jobbery, and nobody was penalised for not knowing it. The opening up of the Romansch district economically had done more than anything in the revival of the language.

On the constitution of Switzerland, he said that the 25 Swiss cantons had very wide powers, and added that "the idea of local authorities having any authority at all would be anathema to our democrats here."

"In Ireland there is a provincial tendency to look to England or the U.S.A. for the example we should follow," added Mr. Ireland. "We forget small countries cannot hope to do things the way these countries do them. A country that has gone through the historical experience of Switzerland could teach us here a good deal."

The Swiss post-war plans, said the speaker, included £38 million allocated to 10 great electric power stations, £138 million for the development of nationalised transport, hospital development and the restoration of political liberties.

KIRWAN HOUSE SALE

A successful sale of work was opened yesterday at Kirwan House Orphanage, North Circular road, Dublin, by Lady Carew, the Rev. C. T. A. Carter presiding.

The various well-stocked stalls were well patronised during the afternoon, and the helpers included Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Kingston, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. King, Miss Corrie and Mr. S. Gamble, with Guides and Brownies.

The sale will end to-day.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	5.18	5.17
Sets	9.26	9.27
Lighting-up Time	9.56	9.57

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	10.50	11.33
Evening	11.22	—

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON.

FRIDAY NIGHT.

THE inspection and licensing of dairy farms has been, until now, the responsibility of local authorities, but the Food and Drugs (Milk and Dairies) Bill, the second reading of which was moved to-day, would have all these functions carried out on a national basis by officials of the Ministry of Agriculture. Local councils are endeavouring to block the bill, but there is no doubt that the milk industry has been altogether too long the victim of standards for quality which vary enormously between county and county, and uniformity is essential. In many districts supervision is very lax, and consequently milk offered for sale is far from being pure, rich, wholesome and disease free.

"Gone with the Wind"

A second general release of the picture, "Gone With the Wind," is to take place early next month, and at last, after more than four years' run, the prices are to be 1s. 9d. to 4s. 6d., against the former scale of 2s. 9d. to 5s. 6d. The new prices are still somewhat above ordinary cinema prices, because the three hours and forty minutes of running time allow fewer performances in a week than those of any ordinary film. In a number of towns it will be showing for a third time. It continues in the West End at the Ritz Theatre, where it has been showing continuously for over four years.

Sporting Envoy

Sir Percy Loraine, whose name figures among a few additions to the membership of the Jockey Club announced to-day, enjoyed a position at Ankara unique in diplomatic annals when Ambassador to Turkey from 1933 to 1939, for he had the friendship and confidence of the Ghazi, from whom he received a gold cigarette case, inscribed "Your affectionately, K. Ataturk." He is an able Turkish scholar. His mission to Turkey was probably the most brilliant single-handed diplomatic success of this generation. Sir Percy was later Ambassador in Rome. His wife is a daughter of the late Major-General Stuart-Wortley, and Highcliffe Castle, her family home in the Solent, has the distinction of being the only house in England in which Napoleon slept. The house was originally the Chateau des Andelys, near Rouen, but was brought by Sir Charles Stuart, British Ambassador in Paris, after Waterloo, stone by stone across the Channel and re-erected in Hampshire.

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THE "BLACK LIST"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—Our attention has been drawn to a London weekly publication which circulates here and in which it is mentioned that our name figures in the British "black list" and apparently in the United States "black list" also. We think it only right to state the circumstances in which our name was inserted in the British "black list," from which we assume it has been copied into that of the United States.

As lawyers who are citizens of a neutral State in which we practise our profession, we considered ourselves entitled, and indeed bound, to act professionally for friendly belligerent traders who applied to us to collect for them from Irish companies (of neutral nationality) debts due to the belligerent traders in question. We have on many occasions since the outbreak of the present war acted in an entirely similar manner for other friendly belligerent subjects, namely, British traders. For doing this, however, in the case of a German company, and for no other cause whatsoever, we have been listed as "enemies" of the British Empire and, apparently, also of the United States.

We have committed no act of belligerency nor have we ever been other than scrupulously neutral, owing allegiance as we do to Ireland and to Ireland only. The attempt to injure lawyers for fulfilling their professional obligations in a way allowed by the laws of their own State and by international law is a new development which augurs ill for the post-war world.—Yours, etc.,

LITTLE, O hUADHAIGH AND PROUD.
12 Dawson street, Dublin,
May 19th, 1944.

V.D.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The members of the Medical Board of Jervis Street Hospital are interested to learn from recent articles in the daily Press some of the details of the scheme to establish a V.D. clinic in their hospital. They wish to express their appreciation of the generosity of His Grace, the Most Reverend Dr. McQuaid, in subscribing so generously towards the foundation of this projected clinic.

It has been, perhaps, an oversight on somebody's part that the members of the Medical Board have not yet been officially informed of the identity of their new colleague who is to be sent abroad to study in the Stokes Institute of the University of Philadelphia. They will, naturally, study future editions of the daily papers in the hope that eventually they will become acquainted with all the details of this laudable and much publicised scheme, which so intimately affects the hospital to which they give their voluntary labours.—Yours, etc.,

JOHN L. KEEGAN, F.R.C.S.I.,
Hon. Sec., Medical Board,
Jervis Street Hospital,
Dublin.
May 19th, 1944.

SUCCESS OF VOLUNTARY HOSPITAL SYSTEM

Heavy fuel expenses, scarcity of supplies and transport difficulties were some of the current problems mentioned at the annual meeting of the Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital, Dublin, yesterday.

Lord Glenavy, presiding, referred to State control of hospitals, and said that the Royal Victoria was an outstanding example of the success of the voluntary system. "I hope," he commented, "that this hospital will be able to carry on, as it does now, for many years without stricter supervision."

The annual report showed that 3,227 patients were admitted to beds during the year under review, and 16,679 received treatment in the out-patient department. The report emphasised the difficulty in securing an adequate supply of bed linen.

Other speakers included:—Captain Wilson, Mr. A. H. Walkey, Mr. T. O. Graham, M.D., F.R.C.S.I.; Mr. W. C. Roche and Mr. Stamford H. Roche.

VITAL STATISTICS

In the Dublin hospitals during the week ended May 13th 63 persons were under treatment for paratyphoid and 321 for diphtheria. During the past four weeks 761 cases of scabies were notified in the urban areas of Dublin, Dun Laoghaire, Cork, Limerick, and Waterford. There was one death from paratyphoid.

In Dublin last week there were 394 births and 134 deaths.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

The Young Entry

ONE of the most remarkable and discouraging features of Irish politics since the establishment of a Free State has been the almost entire absence of young men, and particularly of young university men, from the lists of candidates at general elections. I think it is safe to say that until quite recently not a single graduate of either Irish university took up politics as a career, with the result that, outside the ranks of the "Old Guard," Dail Eireann can boast of very few Parliamentarians of any real quality.

An exception is Mr. Liam Cosgrave, son of Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, who presided over the destinies of the country for so many years. I must admit that, when I first heard that he was standing for the Dail, I was prejudiced against him, being under the totally false impression that his main qualification was the fact that he was his father's son. I am glad to say that I was entirely wrong. During his short period in the Dail, Liam Cosgrave has proved conclusively that he is a first-class Deputy in his own right. Indeed, he has won high opinions, not only from members of his own Party and other Opposition groups, but even from members of Fianna Fail. One Minister told me recently that, in his view, "young Cosgrave" was one of the biggest "finds" that the Dail had had for many years.

Another young candidate, also a university man, is Mr. James Trainor the solicitor, who is contesting N.E. Dublin in the Fine Gael interest. Mr. Trainor, who, by the way, is a keen musician, is also an athlete of unusual prowess, having been in his student days 220 and 440 yards champion of the National University, as well as 220 yards champion of Ulster.

Donagh MacDonagh

Of course, the Senate offers a more attractive prospect than the Dail to young men of the university type. On the last occasion, several such candidates went forward, and some of them already have made their mark. This time, I believe, my friend, Donagh MacDonagh, intends to stand again for the National University, having been beaten last year by only 200 votes.

Mr. MacDonagh also is a son of a well-known Irish patriot. His father, Tom MacDonagh, was one of those executed after Easter Week, 1916, but here again the son is well able to stand on his own feet. He is one of our more distinguished younger poets. He also is well-known at the Bar, and during the last few years his voice has been heard by millions over the Irish radio. He is standing for the Senate as an Independent, preferring to bind himself by no party ties, and I hope sincerely that he will succeed.

Bandon Grammar School

My recent references to Bandon Grammar School have brought me some interesting letters from old boys of the school. I had clean forgotten that last year Bandon Grammar School celebrated its Tercentenary, having been founded in 1643 under the will of the Earl of Cork, the great Richard Boyle.

The school has had many ups and downs during its three hundred years of existence. Like so many other Irish Protestant schools, it has had its periods of brilliance, as well as of dullness. At one period there actually were living and working in Trinity College four Fellows who had received their early education at Bandon, under the headmastership of the Rev. Dr. John Browne, who presided over the school from 1826 to 1842, going afterwards to Kilkenny.

The four Fellows of Trinity College were the Rev. Hewitt Robert Poole, elected in 1847; the Rev. George Longfield (1842), the Rev. John Young Rutledge (1850), and the Rev. Richard Mountifort Conner (1851). I should imagine that this record is unique in the history of Irish schools, but, having had bitter experience of rash statements in the past, I am quite prepared to be corrected on the point.

Another Old Boy

I notice, by the way, that one of the best known of Bandon's old boys is Mr. Lennox Robinson, the famous playwright of the Abbey Theatre. In a letter to the Tercentenary number of the School Magazine, Mr. Robinson, whose father was Rector of Ballymoney Church in Ballineen, declares that he was "perfectly happy at the Grammar School."

"I learned," he says, "with facility, and forgot with equal facility, so that, though I stood very high in class, I was miserably low when examinations came. Mr. Johnston, the headmaster, was merciful, and I was caned only once when I was 17—I forget for what fault—I was miserably ashamed. As to learning to 'know things,' I remember only one small incident, when C.H. displayed an indecent postcard which he showed me. There was a row about it. C.H. when I last met him in Winnipeg, fifteen or more years ago, was a parson in Canada, married and with a family."

Beauties of Wicklow

Anent my recent criticisms of Wicklow County Council, with particular reference to the dreadful shack that has been erected at one of the most charming spots in the village of Delgany, I have heard from a member of that body, who tells me that, so far as he knows, the Council never was consulted on the matter.

I happen to know for a fact that a member of the local Guild of the Irish Countrywomen's Association was in correspondence with the Council on the subject for some time last autumn, but the Councillor who has written to me explains this apparent discrepancy as follows: "No doubt you are aware of the fact that, since the passing of the Management Act, Councils are but smokescreens, behind which all forms of Democratic Government are being purposely and systematically blasted out of existence."

These be hard words. But the experience of the lady in Delgany who was anxious to beautify, rather than to disfigure the village, seems to bear my correspondent out. So far as I can see, there is no excuse for the Council's attitude. Local authorities hardly can be expected to take much active interest in æsthetics. But it ought not to be too much to expect them to refrain from positive obstruction.

Desmond Murray

I was interested to read in the paper the other day that my friend, Desmond Murray, had been appointed to the visiting staff of Jervis Street Hospital. In his professional capacity, Desmond is Mr. D. P. Murray, F.R.C.S.I., and, in his private capacity, a promising golfer, who won the Bellevue Cup at Delgany a few weeks ago. Then, having been pulled two strokes in his handicap, promptly proceeded to win the Monthly Medal.

I have an idea that one of these days Master Desmond (he qualified only in 1937) is going to find his handicap reduced still farther! I also have an idea that he went to school at Sandford Park, and that while there he was an aggressive little boxer. In spite of his youth he has had considerable surgical experience, having served for some time as Resident-Surgeon in a Portsmouth hospital. He had an outstanding career in the Royal College of Surgeons, winning all before him, including the much-coveted Gold Medal for Operative Surgery.

Medical Golfers

It is well known that dentists usually make excellent golfers (I saw my old friend Fred. Davies in a bus the other day, looking as sprightly as ever); and I have heard the theory expounded that their skill at the game is due largely to the strength of their wrists, acquired through constant operation on unfortunate wretches like myself! But, of recent years, the medical profession also seems to have been taking to the game of golf, and to have been excelling in it. A noteworthy example is Desmond's namesake, Paul, the old Irish international. Dr. Paul Murray has made rapid progress as a golfer recently. Desmond is not yet in his class; and his new appointment will leave him little time for the game. But one never knows!

Most of the doctors of my acquaintance seem to prefer fishing to any other form of sport. I have often seen Surgeon Seton Pringle up to his thighs in the Boyne, where the local salmon stand in holy dread of him. Dr. James Quin, the gynæcologist, also is a keen fisherman, and another recruit to the gentle art is Professor Henry Moore, of the Mater, who, if I am not greatly mistaken, has taken advantage of the present rising of the mayfly to try his luck on a western river.

Mr. William Pearson, of the Adelaide, Professor of Surgery in Dublin University, possibly is the most skilful salmon-fisher of them all. Such, at any rate, is the considered opinion of my old friend Mike the Tailor, of Waterville, and he certainly ought to know.

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Across

1 This engagement may curry a T (6).
4 MacTavish is not on the wagon, but he is just behind it (8).
9 Be rich in a spring (6).
10 A hat, although convenient, means carrying extra weight (8).
12 This prize makes a peer turn tail (5).
13 "When I was a lad, I served a term as office boy to an —— firm" (H.M.S. Pinafore) (9).
15 Bore (3).
16 All flesh is (5).
17 Concentrated under canvas (6).
22 This figure has departed, by the sound of it (6).
24 Gihaven? (5).
27 Like the Achilles heel of a cockney? (3).
28 You'll find equality from that time forward in Greece (9).
31 R's in as well (5).
32 You will find a little rope in the rere (8).
33 Molly's a solitary mother (6).
34 Spiritual beings (8).
35 Lately begun about a little money (6).

Down

1 An island fortress near Cong (8).
2 Such satellite timber, although light, is useless to a builder (8).
3 A girl joins up to make 32 across's (9).
5 Attend a carol-singer, perhaps (5).
6 Drain away from the zenith (5).
7 Canine criterion (6).
8 It's a pity she's confused at first, but she's a little saint in the end (6).
11 The occupation of the Queen of Hearts was apparently to be something she could never be (6).
14 See 20 down (3).
18 Xanthose with bare legs might convey it (6).
19 A dark horse (9).
20 It's always made of the apple woman, a magistrate, and 14 down (8).
21 Cowes is, but cows are not (8).
23 Precedes honesty (3).
25 It's not dense, but to analyse it you must take the top off (6).
26 The peoples come after tea (6).
29 A crane's on a lady the other way (5).
30 That is a hundred in any sound (5).

(SOLUTION NEXT WEEK)

SOLUTION TO CROSSWORD NO. 62.

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2,000 Guineas At Curragh

PRINCIPAL race in an exceptionally strong programme at the Curragh to-day is the Irish Two Thousand Guineas.

The race will not bring out Arctic Sun, crack filly last season, but Mr. McGrath will have a strong representation in the best of Greek Star, winner of the Phœnix Nursery; Molly's Choice and Hello Peter. The selected of this trio should go close.

Slide On ran well in the Madrids at the previous Curragh meeting, and Major McCalmont's good-looking colt is well fancied by his connections.

Hyperina, if back at his best, should hold a good chance, for he is bred to stay this journey. In summing up a very open race, choice is made of Good Morning, who impressed when winning at Leopardstown. Hyperina and Slide On may prove best of the others.

Friarstown Plate—**Dallington.**
May Handicap—**Camfield** or **Jos. McGrath's Selected.**
Stewards' Handicap—**Solar Prince.**
Irish Two Thousand Guineas—**Good Morning,** win; **Hyperina** and **Slide On,** places.
Youngsters' Stakes—**Hisway.**
Maddenstown Handicap—**H. Hartigan's selected.**
Brownstown Plate—**Mimizan.**

Tote Double on Fourth and Sixth Races.

2.30—FRIARSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. 7 f.

00 **Slightly Slow** (J. McLean), H. Hartigan, 6, 10-2 ....(——)
Toymaker (Miss A. M. Ryan), H. M. Ryan, 4, 9-2 **W. Barrett**
Rabina (J. Nelson), Slocock, 5, 9-4 ....(——)
02 **Royal Cheer** (A. Waddington), T. Nugent, 4, 9-2 ....**J. Cox**
Flying Boat (Mrs. Browne-Clayton), Private, 3, 8-0 ..(——)
3 **Joyce** (P. E. Burrell), H. Hartigan, 3, 8-12 ....(——)
10 **Good Morning** (Y. J. Kirkpatrick), Wellesley, 3, 8-12 **G. Cooney**
2 **Hanoi** (H. Kouyoumdjian), P. J. Prendergast, 3, 8-9 **John Doyle**
12 **Dallington** (Mrs. E. J. King), C. Harty, 3, 8-7 ..**M. Molony**
10 **Pacifier** (F. S. Myerscough), Owner, 3, 8-7 ....**J. Eddery**
Haparanda (S. R. Lignell), More O'Ferrall, 3, 8-7 **E. M. Quirke**
14 **Coup de Grace** (Mrs. J. McEnery), H. Hartigan, 3, 8-7 (——)
00 **Lovelight** (J. Hamer), H. Hartigan, 4, 9-2 ....(——)
00 **Another Victor** (J. Ismay), D. Rogers, 4, 9-2 ..**E. McCormack**
Rosewell's Pride (Mrs. J. Nolan), Ashe, 3, 8-0 ..**W. Howard**
0 **Marcella** (P. J. Lundon), P. J. Prendergast, 3, 8-0 ....(——)
Spick and Span (Col. A. J. Blake), Owner, 3, 8-0 **J. Tyrrell**
Brushwood Girl (A. Fatah), H. Hartigan, 3, 8-0 ....(——)
Slieve Ruadh (W. J. Kelly), Owner, 3, 8-0 ..**P. Powell, jun.**
00 **Tiddlwinks** (Maj. D McCalmont), Fetherston, 3, 8-0 **H. Holmes**
00 **Mieuxserene** (Jos McGrath), Collins, 3, 8-0 ....**M. Wing**
Aryot (Col. Scott Moore), L. T. Byrne, 3, 8-0 ....(——)
00 **Joyous Flight** (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 3, 8-0 ....**G. Wells**
00 **Charity Concert** (Capt. D. Rogers), Owner, 3, 8-0 **M. Nolan**

Jos. Canty rides H. Hartigan's selected.

BETTING FORECAST — 3/1 Dallington and Hartigan's selected, 5/1 Hanoi, Mieuxserene and Rosewell's Pride, 7/1 Haparanda and Charity Concert, 10/1 others.

3.0—MAY HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 5 f.

0 **Poolfix** (J. McLean), H. Hartigan, 6, 9-13 ....(——)
003 **Camfield** (Lord Queenborough), C. Rogers, 4, 9-5 ..**G. Wells**
0 **Upper Set** (J. McLean), H. Hartigan, 3, 8-12 ....(——)
1 **Stop It** (7lb. ex.) (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 4, 8-9 ....(——)
Great Sacrifice (D. Slattery), Collins, 5, 8-8 ....(——)
0 **Mary Jinks** (Maj. D. McCalmont), Fetherston, 3, 8-8 **J. Moylan**
00 **Celestial Light** (H. E. Rawson), P. J. Prendergast, 4, 8-5 ....**John Doyle**
0 **Mark Forward** (F. S. Myerscough), Owner, 3, 8-4 **Jos. Canty**
0 **Gloriana** (Mrs. H. G. Wellesley), Wellesley, 3, 8-3 **J. Eddery**
0 **Life-Saver** (Mrs. G. Pleydell-Bouverie), Fetherston, 3, 8-2 **H. Holmes**
311 **Barr Hill** (7lb. ex.) (H S. Gill), D. Rogers, 4, 8-0 **G. Cooney**
Donatus (John J. Blake), Blake, 3, 7-13 ....**J. Tyrrell**
30 **Bosbridge** (D McCreedy) D. Rogers, 3, 7-11 ....(——)
030 **Matona** (Mrs. K. Kelly), W J. Kelly, 5, 7-9 **P. Powell, jun.**
030 **Flying Swallow** (Mrs. J. G. Lynch), H. M. Ryan, 3, 7-7 ....**M. Nolan**
0 **September Lady** (G. J. Byrne), Owner, 4, 7-7 ....(——)
Magrew (A. Wills), E. Parkinson, 5, 7-7 ....**W. Howard**

B. Duffy rides H. Hartigan's selected.

BETTING FORECAST—9/4 Collins's selected, 7/2 Camfield and Barr Hill, 6/1 Hartigan's selected and Fetherston's selected, 8/1 Donatus, Gloriana and Mark Forward, 10/1 others.

3.30—STEWARDS' HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 1½ m.

04 **Solar Prince** (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 4, 9-3 ....(——)
00 **Astrometer** (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 6, 9-1 ....**G. Wells**
00 **Larkhill** (W. Haigh), Beasley, a, 9-1 ....**T. Burns**
3 **Hyderabad** (A. Fatah), H. Hartigan, 4, 8-13 ....(——)
030 **Buxton** (Mrs. G. Lambton), H. Hartigan, a, 8-12 ....(——)
000 **Scottish Welcome** (J. Grew), F. Ward, 6, 8-5 ..**J. Moylan**
Bannerman (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 6, 8-3 ....(——)
101 **Pongo** (Jos. McGrath), J. J. Parkinson, 6, 8-2 ....(——)
Anniversary (F. S. Myerscough), Owner, 5, 8-0 ..**J. Eddery**
3 **Heirdom** (H. Quinn), Kirwan, a, 7-10 ....**P. Farrell**
00 **Longridge** (A. D. D. Rogers), D. Rogers, 5, 7-10 **T. P. Burns**
001 **Mark Twain** (D. Malone), Owner, a, 7-7 ....**M. Nolan**
3 **Oola** (Miss V. O'Neill-Power), H. M. Ryan, 6, 7-7 **G. Cooney**

M. Wing rides Mr. McGrath's selected; Jos. Canty rides H. Hartigan's selected.

BETTING FORECAST—9/4 Mr. McGrath's selected, 7/2 Astrometer and Scottish Welcome, 5/1 Hartigan's selected, 6/1 Mark Twain and Oola, 8/1 Anniversary and Heirdom, 10/1 others.

4.5—IRISH 2,000 GUINEAS of 1,000 sovs. 1 m.

Greek Star (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 9-4 ....(——)
0 **Slide On** (Maj. D. McCalmont), Fetherston, 9-0 **J. Moylan**
010 **Pacifier** (F. S. Myerscough), Owner, 9-0 ....**J. Eddery**
Hyperina (J. McVey, jun.), Oxx, 9-0 ....**J. Power**
2 **Lancer** (Lt.-Col. H. Boyd-Rochfort), Fetherston, 9-0 **H. Holmes**
00 **Joyous Flight** (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 9-0 ....**G. Wells**
0 **Sir Gabriel** (P. J. Ryan), W. J. Byrne, 9-0 ....(——)
110 **Good Morning** (Y. J. Kirkpatrick), Wellesley, 9-0 ....(——)
Hello Peter (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 9-0 ....(——)
Molly's Choice (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 9-0 ....(——)
0 **Brave Boy** (Sir H. Gray), Canty, 9-0 ....**Jos. Canty**
4 **The Last Minstrel** (J. Steen), T. Nugent, 8-10 ....**J. Doyle**
0 **Vanity's Victim** (T. Ward), Usher, 8-10 ....**W. Howard**
0 **Gloriana** (Mrs. H. G. Wellesley), Wellesley, 8-10 ....(——)
10 **Gold River** (Mrs. Evan Williams), H. Hartigan, 8-10 **B. Duffy**

M. Wing rides Collins's selected; G. Cooney rides Wellesley's selected.

BETTING FORECAST—2/1 Slide On, 3/1 Collins's selected, 5/1 Hyperina, 8/1 Wellesley's selected and Brave Boy, 10/1 The Last Minstrel and Lancer, 100/8 Pacifier, 20/1 others.

4.35—YOUNGSTERS' STAKES of 200 sovs. 5 f.

0 **Mafosta** (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 9-0 ....(——)
0 **Bazooka** (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 9-0 ....(——)
0 **Hunter's Cloud** (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 8-10 ....(——)
10 **First Royalty** (R. L. Banker), More O'Ferrall, 8-10 **A. Barrett**
01 **Coup d'Etat** (R. L. Banker), More O'Ferrall, 8-10 **E. M. Quirke**
0 **Silence** (E. Bellaney), H. Hartigan, 8-10 ....(——)
0 **Seestu** (Sir T. Dixon), Wellesley, 8-9 ....**G. Cooney**
01 **Hisway** (J. McVey, jun.), Oxx, 8-9 ....**J. Power**
Seraglio (Lt.-Col. Giles Loder), H. Hartigan, 8-5 ....(——)
Royal Liver (J. R. Bower), D. Rogers, 8-5 ....**T. Burns**
03 **Ascona** (H.H. Aga Khan), H. Hartigan, 8-5 ....(——)
Walter Munroe (J. McLean), H. Hartigan, 8-0 ....(——)
Overboard (Sir Harold Gray), Canty, 8-0 ....**P. Canty**

M. Wing rides Collins's selected; Jos. Canty rides H. Hartigan's selected.

BETTING FORECAST—6/4 Collins's selected, 2/1 Hartigan's selected, 4/1 Hisway, 6/1 Coup d'Etat or First Royalty, 10/1 others.

5.5—MADDENSTOWN HANDICAP of 300 sovs. 1 m.

000 **Chanda** (Lt.-Col. H. Boyd-Rochfort), Fetherston, 6, 9-13 **J. Moylan**
03 **Sammy's Rock** (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 5, 8-11 ....(——)
3 **Hyderabad** (A. Fatah), H. Hartigan, 4, 8-10 ....(——)
00 **The Abbot of Hainault** (B. Kerr), Canty, 6, 8-7 ....**P. Canty**
No Trace (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 3, 8-6 ....(——)
William the Conqueror (C. A. Rogers) C. Rogers, 4, 8-5 ....**G. Wells**
011 **Arts Ball** (G. Hannon), Redmond, 5, 8-4 ....**M. Nolan**
0 **Wrong Note** (Capt. D. Rogers), Owner, 3, 8-3 **W. Howard**
0 **Queen of the Jungle** (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 3, 8-0 (——)
0 **Coup de Grace** (Mrs. J McEnery), H. Hartigan, 3, 8-0 (——)
0 **Loaded Dice** (Mrs. C. Brabazon), Brabazon, 3, 7-13 **C. Fagan**
00 **Lovelight** (J. Hamer), H. Hartigan, 4, 7-11 ....(——)
1 **Deadwood Dick** (D. Malone), Owner, 4, 7-10 ....**J. Burke**
Touch and Go (Maj. D. McCalmont), Fetherston, 3, 7-10 ....**H. Holmes**
Gold River (Mrs. Evan Williams), H. Hartigan, 3, 7-10 (——)
1 **Goldsmith** (F. S. Myerscough), Owner, 3, 7-10 ....**J. Eddery**
3 **Joyce** (P. E. Burrell), H. Hartigan, 3, 7-9 ....(——)
Annetta (P. E. Burrell), H. Hartigan, 3, 7-9 ....(——)
Rabina (J. Nelson), Slocock, 5, 7-7 ....(——)

B. Duffy rides H. Hartigan's selected.

BETTING FORECAST—6/4 Hartigan's selected, 5/2 Collins's selected, 5/1 Arts Ball and Goldsmith, 7/1 Deadwood Dick and Touch and Go, 10/1 others.

5.35—BROWNSTOWN T.Y.O. PLATE of 100 sovs. 5 f.

01 **Mimizan** (R. L. Banker), More O'Ferrall, 9-1 **E. M. Quirke**
1 **Nicketal** (W. J. Kelly), Owner, 9-1 ....**Jos. Canty**
Buried Treasure (Lt.-Col. Hon. D. E. Hely-Hutchinson), Fetherston, 9-0 ....**J. Moylan**
0 **Bazooka** (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 9-0 ....(——)
0 **Umidkhan** (H.H. Aga Khan), H. Hartigan, 9-0 ....(——)
English Cygnet (S. W. Swann), Osborne, 9-0 ....**E. Newman**
Carmody (Mrs. E. J. King), C. Harty, 9-0 ....**M. Molony**
Blue Cloak (Mrs. H. H. Beasley), Beasley, 8-10 ....**T. Burns**
0 **Silence** (E. Bellaney), H. Hartigan, 8-10 ....(——)
000 **Gayfair** (M. Bergl), Brabazon, 8-10 ....**C. Fagan**
Lady Juliet (Mrs. D. McCalmont), Fetherston, 8-10 **H. Holmes**
00 **Silver Brook** (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 8-10 ....(——)
Razvite (R. W. Hall-Dare), Blake, 8-10 ....**J. Tyrrell**
Seraglio (Lt.-Col. Giles Loder), H. Hartigan, 8-10 ....(——)
00 **Butterfly Belle** (T. Ward), D. Malone, 8-10 ....**M. Nolan**
00 **Child o' Grace** (Mrs. H. G. Wellesley), Wellesley, 8-10 ....**G. Cooney**
0 **Emblem Rose** (J. J. Parkinson), Owner, 8-10 ....**E. Conlon**

B. Duffy rides H. Hartigan's selected; M. Wing rides Collins's selected.

BETTING FORECAST—6/4 Hartigan's selected, 5/2 Nicketal, 4/1 Collins's selected and Mimizan, 7/1 English Cygnet and Razvite, 10/1 others.

CURRAGH CORRESPONDENT'S SELECTIONS.

2.30—**Coup de Grace.** 3.0—**Stop It.** 3.30—**Solar Prince.** 4.5—**Slide On.** 4.35—**Coup d'Etat.** 5.5—**Sammy's Rock.** 5.35—**Soraglio.**

LAWN TENNIS FINALS

The finals of the Elm Park Open Hard Court Tournament to-day is likely to produce some attractive tennis. In the men's singles, R. F. Egan, the Irish open champion, will meet J. McHale, who won the Elm Park singles two years ago, when the Irish hard court title was at stake. Miss E. Lombard, who won almost every tournament last season, will oppose Miss M. Nichols in the women's final, and, on her form during the week, the latter will give her opponent a much harder fight than was the case when they met last season. The leading men's doubles pair, Egan and A. E. Fannin, tackle a new combination in F. Kenny and P. D. McWeeney.

To-day's Programme.—2.30—R. F. Egan v. J. McHale; Miss E. F. Lombard v. Miss M. Nichols (singles finals), followed by R. F. Egan and A. E. Fannin v. F. Kenny and P. D. McWeeney; Miss E. F. Lombard and Miss O. Poole v. Mrs. Egan and Mrs. Lister; R. F. Egan and Mrs. Lister v. C. A. Kemp and Miss B. Good. 3.0—T. K. Megan and H. M. Whiston v. S. Diamond and W. J. Lyttle or T. Foley and T. Ryder.

YESTERDAY'S MATCHES.

Mixed doubles championship Semi-finals—C. A. Kemp and Miss B Good beat A. E. Fannin and Miss E. Lombard—2-6, 6-3, 6-3; R. F. Egan and Mrs. Lister beat J. J. Fitzgibbon and Miss M. Nichols—6-3, 9-7.

GOLF CLUB FIXTURES

TO-DAY

Bray—Auction sweepstakes.
Corballis—President's Cup, strokes.
Castle—Medal, bogey.
Dun Laoghaire—Irish open men's foursomes cup (16 pairs qualify); post entries.
Delgany—Umgoola Cup, bogey.
Elm Park—Committee prize, strokes (qual.).
Foxrock—Medal, strokes.
Grange—Open fourball, bogey.
Greystones—Open fourball.
The Island—Ladies: Mrs. Harold Mitchell's prize, Stableford.
Kilcroney — Men — West Cup, bogey. Ladies—Mrs. L. J. Smyth's prize, flag.
Killiney—President's (Dr. A. W. Conway) prize, strokes.
Lucan—Whit Cup, strokes (4 qual.).
Milltown—Captain's (Dr. J. B. McArevey) prize, time sheet.
Malahide—Ladies—Captain's (Mrs. Gray) prize. Draws 11 o'c., 1.45 to 4.30. Beginners' draw 4.45.
Newlands—Ladies—Lady President's prize. Last draw 3.30.
Royal Dublin—The Bull Cup.
Skerries—McDonald Cup, mixed foursomes.
Sutton—Captain's (Mr. T. R. Bourke) prize, strokes.
Woodbrook — Vice-Captain's (Mr. B. J Lynch) prize.

TO-MORROW

Hermitage—2nd round 16 and over competition concludes. First tee reserved for Barton Cup from 1.45 to 2.15. Ladies—Ball competition, strokes. Two classes. Last draw 3 o'c.
Lucan — Ladies—Captain's (Miss Craig) prize, strokes; 8 qualify.
St. Anne's—Medal, strokes.

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OPEN COMPETITIONS, JUNE 2-10th.
Friday, 2nd June - Pavilion Cup: Ladies' Open Singles (Handicap Limit, 28). Post Entries.
Saturday, 3rd June—Open Mixed Foursomes. Post Entries.
June 5th-10th—Irish Open Mixed Foursomes Cup. Match Play. (Combined Handicap Limit, 18.)
Entries with Entry Fee, 10/- each pair, to Secretary, Milltown, on or before Thursday, 1st June.
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WHIT OPEN MEETING,
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TULLAMORE GOLF CLUB.
WHIT OPEN MEETING,
MAY 27, 28, 29.
—(Advt.)

Pontefract Card

BY BIRDCATCHER

BEST bet at Pontefract to-day may be Jovial Juror, in the Victoria Stakes. Davey's charge made a fine show last month when beaten only a length by Grande Corniche (rec. 10lb.), who later was runner-up in the 1,000 Guineas. This form makes him a very likely winner here.

12.45—**Jango.**
1.15—**Blue Train.**
1.45—**Conflict** (e.w.).
2.15—**Kannabis.**
2.45—**Earache.**
3.15—**Ewelairs.**
3.45—**Jovial Juror** (Nap).
4.10—**Arctic.**
Double—Jovial Juror and Jango.

LONDON CORRESPONDENT'S SELECTIONS.—12.15 — Winning Mood. 12.45—Glycine f. 1.15—U. Searchlight. 1.45—Toast. 2.15—Golden Boy. 2.45—Oast. 3.15—Ewelairs. 3.45—Pamphilos. 4.10—Arctic.

Readers outside Eire should add one hour to times given below.

12.15—MALTON APPRENTICE HANDICAP. 1 m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
000 **Try-out** (Ray), 4, 7-12 ......H. Jones
000 **Scratch** (Newton) 5, 7-11 ......——
000 **Prince Merlin** (Vasey), 5, 7-8 ......Millar
002 **Winning Mood** (F. Armstrong), 4, 7-5 ......Riley
003 **Wishful Thinking** (Carr), 4, 7-4.. ——
030 **Robin Redvest** (Elsey), 3, 7-3 Wilkinson
000 **Yorkist** (Smallwood), 3, 7-3 ......Clayton
000 **Alton Towers** (Vasey), 3, 7-2 ......Mook
300 **Everthus** (G. Armstrong), 3, 7-2 Pearson
000 **Bonnie Brae** (H. Peacock), 3, 6-13 Petty
0 **Franciscan** (Russell), 3, 6-12......Swinney
300 **Idle Star** (Ray), 3, 6-11 ......Chipping
000 **Berwick Law** (Boyd), 3, 6-11 ......Tait
000 **Nopa** (Wallington), 3, 6-11 ......——
00 **Prayer Carpet** (Elsey), 3, 6-11 Hamilton
000 **More Pride** (Cooper), 3, 6-11 ..Taylor
004 **Bravado** (H. Peacock), 3, 6-7 ..Hodgson
000 **Upwood Queen** (Booth), 3, 6-7 Lawson
000 **Second Choice** (F. Armstrong), 3, 6-7 ......Creighton

Betting Forecast—5/4 Winning Mood, 5/1 Robin Redvest and Prince Merlin, 6/1 Yorkist, 10/1 others.

12.45—FERN HILL T.-Y.-O. PLATE (Div. I). 5 f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
01 **Green Castle** (Everitt), 9-8 ......Ellis
21 **Glycine f.** (Davey), 9-5 ......Spares
00 **Clanroy** (Boyd), 8-8 ......——
Sermon (Ray), 8-8 ......Colven
00 **Bonny Prince** (Renton), 8-8 ......——
0 **Jockey Cap** (H. Peacock), 8-8 ..Boulton
Lion's Share (Elsey), 8-8 ....Littlewood
03 **Billbroker** (F. Armstrong), 8-8 Creighton
0 **Dyer's Cross** (Hollowell), 8-8 ....——
0 **Bosnia** (Cooper), 8-8 ......Cooper
0 **Invermaid c.** (M. Peacock), 8-8 ..Nevett
04 **Jeraldo c.** (Metcalfe), 8-8 ......Rowley
02 **Jango** (H. Peacock), 8-6 ......D. Smith
0 **No Surrender** (Easterby), 8-5 ....Herbert
030 **Maryfield f.** (Muriess), 8-5 ....Taylor

Betting Forecast—2/1 Jango, 3/1 Glycine f., 4/1 Green Castle, 8/1 Invermaid c., Lion's Share 10/1 others.

1.15—FERN HILL T.-Y.-O. PLATE (Div. II). 5 f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
Karnool (Ray) ......Colven
0 **Corrymeela c.** (Renton)......——
00 **Bright Prospect c.** (Boyd)......——
0 **Strongkop** (Booth) ......Fox
0 **Basra c.** (Cooper) ......Cooper
0 **Spiree c.** (Easterby)......Sherry
020 **Como** (G. Armstrong)......Ellis
34 **Blue Train** (M. Peacock)......Nevett
Tinker's Hill (Everitt) ......——
0 **Tiverton Lodge** (Hollowell)......Jamieson
000 **Fairavon c.** (Metcalfe)......Rowley
Gay Night (Everitt)......——
0 **Philandros** (Ray) ......Stephenson
The Shah (Bullock) ......Nicoll
32 **U. Searchlight** (Davey)......Spares
(Above carry 8-8.)
00 **Glamourous** (Elsey) ......Littlewood
(Above carries 8-5.)

Betting Forecast—2/1 Blue Train and U. Searchlight, 4/1 Glamourous, 5/1 Karnool, 10/1 others.

1.45—HOUGHTON HANDICAP. 6 f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
110 **Lady Electra** (Ray), 5, 9-12......Colven
411 **Channel Swell** (H. Peacock), 5, 9-4 D. Smith
040 **Areley Kings** (F. Armstrong), 6, 9-1 Duke
000 **Bell Agnes** (Davey), 4, 8-12......Spares
000 **High Command** (Bullock), 5, 8-11 Pearson
000 **Æsop** (Cooper), 4, 8-5......Cooper
201 **Conflict** (H. Peacock), 4, 8-5.... ——
130 **Seringhi** (Vasey), 6, 8-5......Sime
000 **Mellanthus** (Easterby), 5, 8-3.....Lawson
004 **Sister Patricia** (T. Hall), 4, 8-2...Herbert
103 **Dunusk** (Everitt), 4, 7-12......Evans
320 **Toast** (Carr), 4, 7-11......Nevett
200 **Colorama** (Russell), 4, 7-11......Sherry
200 **Glen Shellister** (Boyd), 5, 7-10.. ——
001 **Edifice** (H. Peacock), 3, 7-9......Brown
000 **Jolyon** (Renton), 4, 7-7......——
000 **Fantasia** (Weatherill) 3, 7-7......——
000 **Beau Ideal** (Woodroffe), 5, 7-7.. ——
0 **Beaufighter** (Hardisty), 3, 7-7......——

Betting Forecast—4/1 Lady Electra, 5/1 Dunusk, 6/1 Conflict, 8/1 Toast, Sister Patricia and Bell Agnes, 10/1 Mellanthus, Channel Swell and Seringhi, 100/8 others.

2.15—FRYSTON PLATE. 1¼ m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
100 **Mad Carew** (Vasey), 5, 10-0......Millar
030 **Little Pip** (Everitt), 5, 10-0......Waudby
000 **The Kernel** (Oxtoby), 4, 9-12....Evans
000 **Golden Boy** (Carr), 6, 9-0......——
040 **Lion of Judah** (F. Armstrong), 5, 9-0 Spares
000 **Papana** (Ray), 5, 9-0......Dawson
000 **Tardy Book** (Easterby), 4, 8-5......Lawson
003 **Wishful Thinking** (Carr), 4, 8-2.. ——
023 **Kannabis** (Elsey), 3, 8-0......Littlewood
China Boy (Vasey), 3, 7-3......Sime
403 **Archive** (Hammett), 3, 7-3.....——
00 **Heather Tor** (G. Armstrong), 3, 7-3 McKenna
000 **Leger Knight** (Davey), 3, 7-3......——
000 **April Dip** (Newton), 3, 7-3......——
402 **Moonlighter** (H. Peacock), 3, 7-3 D. Smith
000 **Francisca** (Vasey), 3, 7-0......Mook
000 **Maid of Witton** (Boyd), 3, 7-0......——

W. Nevett rides Golden Boy or Wishful Thinking.

Betting Forecast—2/1 Golden Boy, 3/1 Archive, 4/1 Kannabis, 6/1 Lion of Judah, 8/1 Wishful Thinking, 10/1 others.

2.45—HAREWOOD 3-Y.O. HANDICAP. 1½ m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
030 **Earache** (F. Armstrong), 9-0......Evans
100 **Welsh Lord** (H. Peacock), 8-10..D. Smith
032 **Oast** (M. Peacock), 8-9......Nevett
004 **Royal Arch** (Vasey), 8-5......Sime
000 **Happy Freedom** (M. Peacock), 8-5.Carson
200 **Marilyn** (Wallington), 8-4......Gethin
000 **Lullaby** (Bellerby), 8-3......Timoney
000 **Wallie's Choice** (G. Armstrong), 8-2 Pearson
000 **Peter Penniless** (Metcalfe), 7-12..Rowley
000 **Brennan Blood** (G. Armstrong), 7-11 Ellis
000 **Philomela** (Elsey), 7-11......Littlewood
000 **Solago** (Hollowell), 7-8......Cooper

Betting Forecast—5/2 Earache, 3/1 Welsh Lord, 4/1 Royal Arch and Oast, 6/1 Philomela, 10/1 others.

3.15—FILLIES' T.-Y.-O. STAKES (Div. I). 5 f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
04 **Shannon Star** (F. Armstrong)......Evans
Straight Life (Davey)......Spares
0 **Ceva** (T. Hall)......Herbert
Lemdril f. (Easterby)......Maher
0 **Carmen Miranda** (F. Armstrong)..Duke
02 **Victory V.** (Elsey)......Littlewood
00 **Spark** (H. Peacock)......D. Smith
00 **Tower Bridge** (G. Armstrong)......Ellis
0 **Taisch** (M. Peacock)......Nevett
02 **Ewelairs** (Easterby) ......Sherry
030 **Maryfield f.** (Muriess)......Taylor
(Above carry 8-10.)

Betting Forecast—2/1 Ewelairs, 4/1 Straight Life, 5/1 Victory V., 8/1 Shannon Star, Maryfield f. and Taisch. 10/1 others.

3.45—VICTORIA 3-Y.-O. STAKES. 6 f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
22 **Jovial Juror** (Davey), 8-12......Spares
112 **Pamphilos** (Ray), 8-8......Stephenson
400 **Solo** (M. Peacock), 8-5......Nevett
000 **Muller Magnifica** (H. Peacock), 8-5 D. Smith
000 **Gold Streak** (Hardisty), 7-12.... ——
000 **Minstrel Knight** (Vasey), 7-12......Sime
000 **Parting Gift** (Everitt), 7-12......——
Hazelhurst (Carr), 7-12......——
000 **Boltonian** (Carr), 7-12......——
00 **Cheapside** (Easterby), 7-12......——
400 **Rio Doce** (Easterby), 7-12......——
0 **Colonist** (Bullock), 7-12......Gethin
00 **Red Salute** (M. Peacock), 7-12.. ——
Hatherton Lass (Everitt), 7-9......Ellis
000 **Liberal View** (Weatherill), 7-9.. ——
0 **Sweet Louise** (Renton), 7-9......——
Nith (Carr), 7-9 ......——
00 **Miss Bimco** (Smallwood), 7-9....Clayton

P. Maher rides Carr's selected.

Betting Forecast—6/4 Jovial Juror, 2/1 Pamphilos, 4/1 Muller Magnifica, 8/1 Solo, 10/1 others.

4.10 — FILLIES' T.-Y.-O. STAKES (Div. II). 5 f.

Hermia f. (F. Armstrong) ......Evans
02 **Arctic** (Elsey) ......Stephenson
Twinlink (Bullock) ......——
0 **No Kid** (Smallwood) ......Clayton
Paper Doll (M. Peacock) ......Waudby
034 **Welsh Lass** (H. Peacock) ....D. Smith
Chiltern Maid (F. Armstrong) ....Taylor
0 **Jubilee Girl** (Hardisty) ......——
0 **Trixie from Tad** (M. Peacock) ..Nevett
04 **Silver Strap** (Hollowell) ......Herbert
(Above carry 8-10.)

Betting Forecast—Evens Arctic, 3/1 Silver Strap, 8/1 Trixie from Tad and Welsh Lass, 10/1 others

SPORTING FIXTURES FOR WEEK-END

Racing—Curragh, 2.30.
Cricket—Senior League (2.30)—Phœnix v. Dublin University, Phœnix Park; Leinster v. Clontarf, Rathmines; Pembroke v. Civil Service, Sydney Parade; Merrion v. Y.M.C.A., Anglesea road.
Tennis—Elm Park Hard Court Tournament finals.
Athletics—Leinster Schools' annual championships, Blackrock College, 2.30; Dublin University v. Queen's University, College Park, 2.30.
Golf—Open Foursomes, Dun Laoghaire.
Soccer—Inter-city Cub 2nd round (to-day)—Shelbourne v. Glentoran, Dalymount Park, 3.30; Belfast Celtic v. Shamrock Rovers, Belfast.
Yachting (To-day) — R.A.Y.C., at Dun Laoghaire, 2.50.
Greyhound Racing—Shelbourne Park, 7.30.
G.A.A. (To-morrow) — Young Irelands v. Eoghan Ruadh (H.), Croke Park, 3.15; St. Vincent's v. Eoghan Ruadh (H.), Croke Park, 2.0; Cavan v. Donegal (F.), Enniskillen, 4.0 (B.S.T.); Offaly v. Westmeath (F.), Tullamore, 3.45; Clare v. Kerry (H.), Ennis 3.30.
Bowling—I.B.A. Senior Cup (1st Round) —St. James's Gate v. Woodvale (Belfast), Iveagh Grounds, 2.30; Kenilworth v. Belfast B.C., Grosvenor square, 1.15; Leinster v. Portadown, Rathmines, 1.15. Senior League—Blackrock v. Imperial Tobacco, Blackrock, 3.0. Junior League—Railway Union v. Leinster, Park avenue, 3.0.

DEATH OF MR. G. J. V. WEIGALL

The death occurred in Dublin on Thursday of Mr. G. J. V. Weigall, a famous all-round sportsman of some years ago. A noted Kent cricketer, he also excelled at all racquets games. He was a brother of Sir Archibald Weigall, of Ascot, and for the last few years held a teaching appointment in Dublin.

ARMAGH DOG SHOW,
In Aid of the Red Cross,
SATURDAY, 24th JUNE, 1944.
5 Popular Judges.
Classes for Most Breeds.
Schedules from V. THOMPSON, Hon. Sec., 11 ARTHUR'S VILLAS, ARMAGH.
—(Advt.)

Salisbury To-day

BY BIRDCATCHER

FRED DARLING'S classic colt, Mustang, runs his first race of the season in the Dorset Stakes to-day. At Ascot, last October, Mustang beat Rockefella and Growing Confidence; and, assuming he has made normal improvement, he should easily score here.

Mehrali, a costly failure last time out, has an outstanding chance in Westbury Handicap (5 furlongs). He is one of the best animals in training over this distance. Hedges holds a strong hand in the Ogbourne Handicap with Cecilina and Lord Flame. The vote goes to his selected.

11.30—**Lady Lyon.**
12.0—**Blue Moon.**
12.30—**Mehrali** (Nap)
1.0—**Mustang.**
1.30—**Hedges' Selected.**
2.0—**Grandmaster.**
2.30—**Doyenne.**
3.0—**Bernicia.**
Double — Mehrali and Grandmaster.

LONDON CORRESPONDENT'S SELECTIONS.—11.30 — The Eagle. 12.0—Blue Moon. 12.30—Liquidamber. 1.0 — Flag Staff 1.30—Shahpoor. 2.0—Grandmaster. 2.30—Sez You. 3.0—Golden Skies.

Readers outside Eire should add one hour to times given below.

11.30—LARK HILL T.-Y.-O. PLATE (Div. I). 5f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
0 **The Eagle** (Laye), 9-0 ....G. Richards
0 **Ballingham Lady c.** (Blagrave), 9-0 Gardner
Satiric c. (F. Hartigan), 9-0 .... ——
Rustling Grass (Laye), 9-0 .... ——
Tetrafly (Beary), 9-0 ...... ——
4 **Selector** (Perse), 9-0 ......Gomez
00 **Invader** (Stedall), 9-0 ......Conlan
Just Fair (Reardon), 9-0 ......Sirett
0 **Joan's Star** (J. Wood), 9-0 ....Egerton
00 **Sussex Downs** (Swash) 9-0 ....Mullins
or
04 **Destroyer** (Swash), 8-11 ......Mullins
Desert Moon (Hudson), 8-11 Hardwidge
00 **Marmora** (Strong), 8-11 ......Doyle
42 **Lady Lyon** (H. Smyth), 8-11 ..Packham
Annie Rowson (V. Hobbs), 8-11 ..Lane
0 **Smoky** (V Smyth), 8-11 ......Beary
00 **Grand Opera** (Blackmore), 8-11.. ——
Necking (Private) 8-11 ......Seed
2 **Sister Enid f.** (Nightingall), 8-11 ..Carey
Home Port (Whiteman), 8-11 ..Horwood

Betting Forecast—2/1 The Eagle, 3/1 Sister Enid f., 4/1 Lady Lyon, 5/1 Selector, 10/1 Destroyer or Sussex Downs and Smoky, 20/1 others.

12.0—WEYHILL 3-Y.-O. PLATE (Div. I). 1 m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
400 **Stepup** (Templeman) ......Sirett
000 **Roman Friar** (Hedges)......Barber
2 **Blue Moon** (F Darling)......G. Richards
032 **Prince Florimonde** (Nightingall) ..Carey
000 **Babe in the Wood** (Nunneley) .. ——
000 **Kruger** (Stedall) ......A. Wragg
000 **Vermouth** (Persse)......Beary
00 **Franklin D.** (Lawson) ......——
00 **Easton Abbas** (Todd) ......Clark
000 **Kronsbee** (Kilpatrick) ......Hardwidge
(Above carry 9-0.)
000 **Verity** (Sneyd) ......——
0 **Brenda Mar** (J. C. Waugh) ......Lane
000 **Cherington** (Blackmore) ......——
00 **Desert Patrol** (Beeby) ......Mullins
0 **Glamis** (Cannon) ......C. Richards
Portobello (F. Hartigan) ......——
(Above carry 8-11.)

Betting Forecast—1/2 Blue Moon, 5/1 Prince Florimonde, 10/1 Kruger, 100/7 Glamis, 20/1 others.

12.30—WESTBURY HANDICAP. 5 f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
023 **Mehrali** (Rayson), 5, 9-2....A. Wragg
100 **Poise** (Laye), 6, 8-8......Philips
212 **Fair Aim** (Cannon), 3, 8-5..G. Richards
200 **Your Fancy** (W. Payne), 3, 8-5..Elliott
002 **Wild Wave** (C. Bell), 4, 8-1......Beary
004 **Liquidamber** (J. C. Waugh), 4, 7-13 ......Lane
000 **William of Stratford** (Nightingall), 3, 7-10 ......C. Richards
100 **Fairbland** (Templeman), 4, 7-8....Sirett
001 **Date Palm** (F. Hartigan), 3, 7-6 E. Smith
000 **Boston Stump** (V. Hobbs), 4, 7-4 Greening
330 **Rush Hour** (Edwards), 3, 7-4......——
000 **Destroy** (Persse), 4, 6-12......Doyle
000 **Albert Hall** (Macnee), 3, 6-10.Richardson

Betting Forecast—3/1 Mehrali, 6/1 Date Palm and Fair Aim, 7/1 Your Fancy, 8/1 Wild Wave, 10/1 Liquidamber, 100/8 William of Stratford, 100/6 Poise and Destroy, 20/1 others.

1.0—DORSET 3-Y.-O. STAKES. 1¼ m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
110 **Flag Staff** (Nightingall), 8-13......Carey
31 **Mustang** (F. Darling), 8-10...G. Richards
004 **T.A.B.** (F. Hartigan), 8-10......Mullins
304 **Fickle Jean** (Pratt), 8-7......Beary
100 **Port Sash** (Sneyd), 8-7......——
000 **Magician** (Blagrave), 8-6......Gardner
240 **Giraud** (R. Dawson), 8-6......——
0 **Red Fife** (Cannon), 8-6......——
004 **Noble Fare** (Nunneley), 8-6.....Shifner
000 **Freckled** (Templeman), 8-6......Sirett
0 **Chesterholme** (Kilpatrick), 8-6..Hardwidge
043 **Reseda** (O. Bell), 8-3 ......Gosling
030 **Strathclyde** (Bancroft), 8-3......E. Smith
000 **Accord** (Pratt), 8-3 ......C. Richards
000 **Lady Peter** (Donoghue), 8-3......Elliott

Betting Forecast—4/6 Mustang, 4/1 Flag Staff, 8/1 T.A.B., 100/8 Fickle Jean and Strathclyde, 100/7 Giraud, 20/1 others.

1.30—OGBOURNE HANDICAP. 1 m. 6 f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
201 **Shahpoor** (Lawson), 5, 9-7 .... ——
110 **Massowa** (F. Hartigan), 5, 8-13 .. Elliott
010 **Ruscus** (Parker), 6, 9-2 ...... A. Wragg
or
310 **The Towkay** (Parker), 5, 8-11 A. Wragg
210 **Freetown** (Pratt), 4, 8-11 ...... ——
041 **Milling** (Cannon), 4, 8-11 .. G. Richards
300 **Historic** (V. Smyth), 5, 8-8 .... Beary
300 **Sun King** (J. Hall), 5, 8-3 .... ——
124 **Smithereens** (Todd), 5, 8-3 .... Ussher
020 **Whirlaway** (Persse), 4, 8-3 .... Doyle
000 **Acceleration** (Nunneley), 4, 8-0 .. Shifner
000 **Royalist** (Walwyn), 6, 8-0 .. H. Richards
000 **Cecilina** (Hodges), 5, 8-0 .... Adams
032 **Lord Flame** (Hodges), 6, 7-13 .. Hickey
100 **Eastgate** (V. Hobbs), 4, 7-7 .. E. Smith
400 **Corner Boy** (V. Hobbs), 4, 7-7 .. Lane
002 **Paramount** (Saxby), 5, 7-7 .... ——
300 **Tippet** (Blagrave), 4, 7-5 . Richardson
000 **Official Spokesman** (Templeman), 4, 7-4 ...... Bartlam
030 **Duke's Jester** (J. C. Waugh), 4, 7-3 ...... Sirett
000 **Sulphurous** (C. Bell), 4, 6-11 .... ——

C. Richards rides Shahpoor or Freetown

Betting Forecast—3/1 Shahpoor, 5/1 Milling, 7/1 Lord Flame and Duke's Jester, 8/1 The Towkay or Ruscus, 10/1 Massowa and Freetown, 100/8 Historic and Smithereens, 100/6 Cecilina and Eastgate, 20/1 others.

2.0—AMPORT T.-Y.-O. STAKES. 5 f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
1 **Grandmaster** (Nightingall), 9-1 .... Carey
21 **Bedroom Slipper** (O. Bell), 8-12 A. Wragg
1 **Lemsford** (V. Hobbs), 8-12 .... Lane
Grey Prince (V. Smyth), 8-7 .... Harris
00 **Castle Blarney** (Donoghue), 8-7 P. Donoghue
Master Coventry (Nightingall), 8-7 Rees
00 **Bridgehead** (Scobie), 8-7 ...... ——
Profligate (Cottrill), 8-7 ...... Beary
Sun Petal (Pratt), 8-4 ...... ——
Isle of Capri (F. Darling), 8-4 G. Richards
Clarnico (F. Darling), 8-4 ...... Seed
Blue Sal (Williams), 8-4 .. D. L. Jones
0 **Gold Blue f.** (C. Bell), 8-4 .. Hollick
La Moqueuse f. (Donoghue), 8-4 Elliott

Betting Forecast—5/2 Grandmaster, 3/1 Bedroom Slipper, 4/1 Isle of Capri, 7/1 La Moqueuse f., 8/1 Lemsford, 10/1 Profligate, 20/1 others.

2.30—WEYHILL 3-Y.-O. PLATE (Div. II). 1 m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
Desert Stone (Hudson) ...... ——
000 **Dakar** (Donoghue) ......P. Donoghue
0 **Anchorite** (Edwards) ...... ——
003 **St. Clement** (Sneyd) ...... ——
00 **Clover Club** (Nightingall)......Carey
024 **Sez You** (Cannon) ......C. Richards
000 **Prince Cosmo** (Stedall) ......Conlon
North Star (Kilpatrick)......Hardwidge
00 **Nordelph** (Hedges) ......Marshall
(Above carry 9-0.)
300 **The Devil's Lady** (Beeby)...... ——
000 **Patou** (Blagrave) ......Gardner
40 **Cumulus** (F. Darling)......G. Richards
044 **Blue Champagne** (Bancroft) .... ——
00 **Doyenne** (O. Bell) ......A. Wragg
034 **Poetic** (Cannon) ......H. Jones
(Above carry 8-11.)

E. Smith rides The Devil's Lady or Blue Champagne.

Betting Forecast — 3/1 Doyenne, 4/1 Cumulus, 5/1 Sez You, 7/1 Clover Club, 8/1 Blue Champagne, 10/1 The Devil's Lady and Poetic, 100/6 others.

3.0—LARK HILL T.-Y.-O. PLATE (Div. II). 5 f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
Dark Emperor (Todd) ...... ——
0 **Subrosa c.** (Beary) ...... ——
Clever Joe (Todd) ......Ussher
00 **Claribell c.** (Hedges) ......Marshall
Boroford (V. Hobbs) ......Lane
Red Gremlin (Kilpatrick)....Hardwidge
or
00 **Idle Rich** (Kilpatrick)......Hardwidge
Shelleys (Tabor) ......Hollick
Antwick c. (Gilbert) ......Cartwright
0 **Squanderer** (J. Wood)...... ——
3 **Gemmery** (Macnee) ......Bartlam
(Above carry 9-0.)
0 **Under Way** (Cannon) ......G. Richards
42 **Golden Skies** (H. Smyth)......Elliott
33 **Bernicia** (V. Smyth)......Beary
With Care (Private)......Sirett
40 **Queen of the Nile** (Perse)......Gomez
0 **Maine Star f.** (Beary) ...... ——
(Above carry 8-11.)

Betting Forecast—2/1 Bernicia, 3/1 Golden Skies, 5/1 Queen of the Nile, 6/1 Gemmery, 8/1 Under Way, 100/8 Boroford, 100/6 others.

DISTILLERY FOR INTER-CITY SOCCER SEMI-FINAL

DISTILLERY ...... 1 DUNDALK 1

At Dalymount Park last night, Dundalk and Distillery drew their second match in the Inter-City Cup at one all, and Distillery go into the semi-final round on a 5-2 aggregate. Dundalk never looked like making up the ground lost at Belfast last Saturday; in fact, it was against the run of the play when McCartney scored their goal after 38 minutes. Lonsdale equalised with an easy goal from H. Lunn's centre with nine minutes to go. It was a very poor game, and the gate receipts were the lowest for the competition—£80.

ELECTION NOMINATIONS

THE following is a list of the final nominations, which were handed in to the returning officers yesterday. The following contractions are used: F.F., Fianna Fail; F.G., Fine Gael; Lab., Irish Labour Party; Nat. Lab., National Labour Party; C. na T., Clanna na Talmhan; Ind., Independents; A. na hA., Ailtiri na hAiseirghe. An asterisk denotes the name of a sitting deputy. In brackets after the name of each constituency is given the strength of the parties after the 1943 election.

Athlone-Longford (F.F. 2, F.G. 1)—F.F., *T. Carter, *E. H. Childers, J. Victory; F.G., *General S. McEoin, M. J. O'Meara; Lab., J. Timlin.

Carlow-Kildare (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, Lab. 1)—F.F., *T Harris, *Dr. F. Humphries, T. Mullins; F.G., *J. Hughes, P. Frayne; Lab., *W. Norton, Sean T. Hayden.

Cavan (F.F. 2, C. na T. 1, Ind. 1)—F.F., *P. Smith, *F. Sheridan, B. Fay; C. na T., *P. O'Reilly; Ind., *J. J. Cole, T. Reilly; Ind. Far., T. T. Burke.

Clare (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, Lab. 1, Ind. 1) — F.F., *E. de Valera, *S. O'Grady, Sen. P. J. O'Loghlen; F.G., *P. Burke; Lab., *P. Hogan; C. na T., D. Healy.

Cork City (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, Ind. 1) —F.F., *S. Fitzgerald, *F. J. Daly, W. Furlong; F.G., Sen. D. Crosbie, Ald. J. R. Connolly; Lab., C. Connolly; Nat. Lab., P. O'Brien; Ind., *R. S. Anthony, W. Dwyer; A. na hA., S. O Dubhghaill.

Cork, N. (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, C. na T. 1)—F.F., *S. Moylan, *L. Skinner, C. Meaney; F.G., *T. Linehan, P. Daly; Lab., P. McAuliffe; C. na T., P. Halliden.

Cork, S.E. (F.F. 1, F.G. 1, Lab. 1) —F.F., *M. J. Corry, S. McCarthy; F.G., *W. J. Broderick; Lab., D. Desmond, D. Barry; Nat. Lab., *T. Looney; C. na T., P. Lehane.

Cork, W. (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, Lab. 1, C. na T. 1)—F.F., *T. O'Sullivan, *S. Buckley; F.G., T. J. O'Donovan, E. O'Neill, M. Sheehy; Lab., *T. Murphy, T. Tarrington; C. na T., *D. O'Driscoll, D. O'Leary; Ind., T. Hales.

Donegal, E. (F.F. 2, F.G.1, C. na T. 1)—F.F., *N. Blaney, *J. Friel, D. McGlinchy; F.G., *D. McMenamin, Dr. J. McCormack; Ind., Maj. J. S. Myles; C. na T., W. A. Sheldon.

Donegal, W. (F.F. 2, F.G.1)—F.F., *B. Brady, *C. Breslin; F.G., *M. Og McFadden.

Dublin N.E. (F.F. 1, Lab. 1, Ind. 1)—F.F., *O. Traynor, H. Colley; F.G., J. P. Trainor; Ind., *A. Byrne (sen.); Lab., *J. Larkin (sen.); Nat. Lab., M. J. Colgan, F. Robbins.

Dublin N.W. (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, Lab. 1, Ind. 1)—F.F., * S. T. O'Kelly, *C. Breathnach, E. Cooney, J. S. O'Connor; F.G., *P. McGilligan, J. Cahill; Lab., *M. O'Sullivan, F. Foley; Ind Lab., A. Brack; Ind., *A. Byrne (jun.); Ailtiri na hAiseirghe, G. O Cuinneagain.

Dublin S. (F.F. 4, F.G. 2, Lab. 1) —F.F., *S. Lemass, *R. Briscoe, *Dr. J. B. Lynch, *J. McCann, A. S. Clarkin; F.G., *P. S. Doyle, *M. E. Dockrell, M. Byrne, T. P. Burke; Lab., *J. Larkin (jun.), W. H. Beirne; Ind., Dr. J. Hannigan.

Dublin Townships (F.F. 2, F.G. 1)—F.F., *S. MacEntee, *B. Butler; F.G., *Alderman E. E. Benson, J. A. Costello; Lab., H. Good.

Dublin County (F.F. 2, F.G. 2, Lab. 1)—F.F., S. *Brady, *P. Fogarty, M. J. O'Rourke, P. J. Bourke; F.G., *H. M. Dockrell, L. Cosgrave, D. Fitzgerald; Lab., *J. Tunney, Miss Louie Bennett, G. Lynch; Ind. Far., P. Belton; A. na hA., Oisin O Droighneain.

Galway E. (F.F. 3, C. na T., 1)—F.F., *P. Beegan, *M. Killilea; C. na T., *M. Donnellan, J. Stankard.

Galway W. (F.F. 2, F.G. 1)—F.F., *G. Bartley, J. Keane, M. Lydon; F.G., *J. Mongan, W. Allen; Ind., Miss M. Ashe.

Kerry N. (F.F. 2, Lab. 1, C. na T. 1)—F.F., *E. Kissane, *T. McEllistrum, P. McKenna; C. na T., *P. Finucane; Nat. Lab., *D. Spring.

Kerry, S. (F.F. 2, F.G. 1)—F.F., *F. Crowley, *J. B. Healy; F.G., *F. Lynch; C. na T., E. Horan.

Kilkenny (F.F. 1, Lab. 1, C. na T. 1)—F.F., *T. Derrig, T. Walsh; F.G., E. Coogan; C. na T., P. Mahony; Nat. Lab., *J. Pattison.

Leitrim (F.F. 1, F.G. 1, Ind. 1)—F.F., S. Flynn; F.G., *Mrs. M. Reynolds; C. na T., J. Reynolds; Ind., *B. Maguire.

Leix-Offaly (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, Lab. 1, Ind. 1)—F.F., *P. Boland, *P. Gorry, G. O'Connell, M. P. Collier; F.G., *Dr. T. F. O'Higgins, P. Kavanagh; Lab., *W. Davin; C. na T., P. J. Bermingham, R. Hipwell; Ind., *O. Flanagan; Old I.R.A., J. Clarke.

Limerick (F.F. 4, F.G. 2, Lab. 1)—F.F., *Alderman D. Bourke, *D. O Briain, *T. Crowley, *R. Ryan, Sen. M. Colbert; F.G., *Alderman J. Reidy, *G. Bennett, Sen. D. Madden; Lab., *M. J. Keyes; C. na T., P. Fitzsimons.

Louth (F.F. 1, F.G. 1, Lab. 1)—F.F., *F. Aiken, L. Walsh; F.G., *J. Coburn; Lab., *R. J. Connolly; A. na hA., E. O. Coigley; C. na T., F. Jeffares.

Mayo, N. (F.F. 2, F.G. 1)—F.F., *P. J. Ruttledge, *J. Kilroy, S. Lynchahaun; F.G., *P. Browne, J. Leheghan; C. na T., T. O'Hara.

Mayo, S. (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, C. na T. 2)—F.F., *M. O Cleirigh, *M. Moran, R. Walsh, M. Kilroy; F.G., *J. FitzGerald-Kenney, J. O'Connor; C. na T., *D. Cafferky, *J. Blowick, B. Cummins.

Meath-Westmeath (F.F. 3, F.G. 2)—F.F., *M. O'Reilly, *M. Hilliard, *M. J. Kennedy, J. P. Kelly, P. McKenna; F.G., *C. Fagan, *Captain P. Giles; Lab., Captain P. Cowan, O. Commiskey; C. na T., J. L'Estrange, M. Bracken.

Monaghan (F.F. 2, Ind. 1)—F.F., *Dr. F. C. Ward, *Mrs. B. Rice; C. na T., P. J. McArdle; Ind., *J. M. Dillon.

Roscommon (F.F. 1, C. na T. 2)—F.F., *G. Boland, D. O'Rourke; F.G., M. Brennan; C. na T., *J. Beirne, *J. J. Meighan, P. Farrell; A. na hA., J. O'Kelly.

Sligo (F.F. 1, F.G. 2)—F.F., *Dr. M. Brennan, F. O'Beirne; F.G., *M. Roddy, *P. J. Rogers; Lab., M. Nevin.

Tipperary (F.F. 3, F.G. 2, Lab. 1, C. na T. 1)—F.F., *D. Breen, *A. Fogarty, F. Loughnan, Mrs. M. Ryan, J. Gardiner; F.G., *D Morrissey, R. Mulcahy, T. Bourke; Lab., J. A. Boland, *R. Stapleton; C. na T., *W. F. O'Donnell, J. Stakelum; A. na hA., T. O'Doherty.

Waterford (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, C. na T. 1)—F.F., *P. J. Little, J. Goulding, *M. Morrissey; F.G., *Mrs. B. M. Redmond; Lab., D. Hanley; C. na T., *D. Heskin; A. na hA., L. I. Walsh.

Wexford (F.F. 2, F.G. 1, C. na T. 1)—F.F., *D. Allen, *Dr. J. Ryan, R. Moran; F.G., *Sir J. Esmonde, J. Keating; Lab., *Alderman R. Corish, J. Kelly; Nat. Lab., *J. O'Leary, Alderman T. Byrne.

Wicklow (F.F. 1, Lab. 1, C. na T. 1)—F.F., *C. M. Byrne, T. Brennan; F.G., E. Sweetman; Lab., E. Byrne; Nat. Lab., *J. Everett; C. na T., P. Cogan; Ind., W. Clarke, H. J. Byrne.

BROADCASTING

To-day

IRISH PROGRAMME

NEWS at 1.40, 6.45, 10.0 (Nuacht) and 10.10 p.m.

1.15—Concert. 1.45-2.15—Concert (continued). 6.0—"The Wonder Tales of Ireland." 6.40—Sports Results. 7.5—"Ri-Ra is Ruacain." 7.35—"This Week in the Seventeen Nineties," recalled by Donagh MacDonagh. 7.50—Cuirm Cheoil Feise na gCeard-Scol. 8.20—"Tales by the Rambler." 8.35—Garda Siochana Military Band and Sam Mooney (baritone). 9.15—"Light Music." 9.25—"Making and Mending." 9.45—"Irish Music and Musicians."

B.B.C. HOME SERVICE

NEWS at 6 and 7 a.m., 12 noon; 5, 8 and 11 p.m.

6.15—Exercises. 6.30—Gounod. 6.55—"Lift Up Your Hearts!" 7.15—"Make-do and Mend." 7.20—"Movietunes." 8.0—Piano Music and Songs. 8.30—Three-band Session. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Northern Orchestra. 11.0—Andre Kostelanetz and his Orchestra. 11.30—"Songs from the Shows." 12.15—"Backs to the Land." 12.30—Concert Orchestra. 1.15—Military Band. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—Scottish Orchestra. 4.0—News and Talk in Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour. 5.30—"The World Goes By." 6.0—Concert. 6.45—Week in Westminster. 7.0—"Vaudeville of 1944." £100 Weekly Red Cross Radio Contest. 8.20—Saturday-Night Theatre: "The Emperor Jones." 9.30—"Lighten Our Darkness." 9.45—"Saturday Night at the Palais."

The times given are Irish Summer Time. Readers in Northern Ireland and Great Britain must add one hour.

ALTERNATIVE SERVICE

NEWS at 5.30 and 7 a.m., 12 noon; 2, 4, 6 and 8 p.m.

NEWS HEADLINES at 6, 8 and 11 a.m.; 1, 2.59 and 9.59 p.m.

5.42—Records. 6.10—Record Album. 7.15—"Jubilee." 7.45—Light Music. 8.15—"Starlight": Tessie O'Shea. 8.30—Midland Light Orchestra. 9.15—Lew Stone and his band. 9.45—Records. 10.30—Workers' Playtime. 11.10—Service. 11.15—David Java and his Orchestra. 11.45—Cricket Commentary. 12.20—War Office. 12.30—"By Way of Music." 1.2—Questions Answered. 1.30—"Hello, India!" 2.10—Favourite Records. 2.25—Keeping in Touch. 2.30—Radio Newsreel. 2.45—"Starlight." 3.0—Saturday Sport. 4.15—War Review. 4.25—Variety Orchestra. 5.0—Shipmates Ashore. 5.30—Atlantic Spotlight. 6.10—News from Canada. 6.15—Favourite Records. 6.45—Symphony Orchestra. 7.15—Football Results. 7.30—"It's All Yours." 8.5—Thank You for Your Letters. 8.15—Association Football. 8.30—Montague Phillips. 9.0—Johnny Canuck's Revue. 9.30—Music While You Work.

To-morrow

IRISH PROGRAMME

News at 6.45 and 10.10 p.m.

1.15 - - Concert. 1.55-2.15 — "Chopin." 3.15-5.30—Symphony Concert, relayed from Capitol Theatre. 6.30—"Tasc is Tuairisc." 7.0—Talk by Dr. John Hennig. 7.30—"Master Singers"—Militza Korjus. 7.45—"Radio Digest." 8.15—"Question Time," from Bundoran. 9.0—Dorothy Stokes' Quintet. 9.25—"Apostles Progress." 9.55—Appeal on behalf of St. Patrick's Guild, by Justice McCarthy. 10.20—"Na Rithimeoiri." 10.50—Gaelic Sports Talk.

B.B.C. HOME SERVICE

NEWS at 6 and 7 a.m.; 12 noon, 5, 8 and 11 p.m.

6.15—Orchestral Music. 6.45—"Listen to the Band." 7.15—"Concerto's Progress." 8.30—Empire Youth Service. 9.15—Leon Goossens (Oboe). 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—"Music Magazine." 10.45—Service in Welsh. 11.30—Glazunov. 11.50—Week's Films. 12.15—"Empire Youth Sunday." Talk. 12.25—"Country Magazine." 12.50—"In Your Garden." 1.5—Gustav Holst (The Planets). 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—Empire Youth Compares Notes. 3.0—Leslie Bridgewater Quintet. 3.30—"The Anvil." 4.0—News, and Hymn-Singing in Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour 5.30—"Transatlantic Call."—"Windsor." 6.0—"What is Impetigo?" 6.5—"Letters from the Front." 6.15—"Grand Hotel." 7.0—Empire Youth Service. 7.40—Week's Good Cause. 7.45—"Into Battle." 8.30—"The Adventures of Don Quixote." 9.5—Heifetz (Violin). 9.45—Epilogue. 9.53—The Little Orchestra. 10.35—Balalaika and Guitar. 10.50—"Strange World."

ALTERNATIVE SERVICE

NEWS at 5.30 and 7 a.m., 12 noon; 2, 4, 6 and 8 p.m.

NEWS HEADLINES at 6, 8 and 11 a.m.; 1, 2.59 and 9.59 p.m.

5.42 — Records. 8.15 — Messages from Overseas. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Sunday Serenade. 10.10—Messages from Overseas. 10.30—Calling all Canadians. 11.15—Reginald King at the Piano. 11.30—Sunday Service. 12.15—"Kay on the Keys." 12.30—Brains Trust. 1.2—Choral and Orchestral Music. 1.30—Radio Theatre, "Hindle Wakes." 2.10—Favourite Records. 2.30—Radio Newsreel. 2.45—Football Results. 3.0—Palestine Half-Hour. 3.30—Tommy Handley in "ITMA." 4.15—Lional Hale on Films. 4.30—Fred Hartley and his Music. 5.0—"Variety Bandbox." 6.10—News from Canada. 6.15—Favourite Records. 7.0—Calling Malta. 7.30—"Palace of Varieties." 8.15—Theatre Orchestra. 9.0—Sunday Half-Hour. 9.30—Music While You Work.

HAROLD'S CROSS DOG RACING

500—Rabaire Rince (2), 2/1, 1; Second Mate (5), 10/1, 2; Hidden Tess (6), 10/1, 3; Wrist Shot (3), 3/1, 4; Quality Row (4), 10/1, 5; Dashing Editor (1), 5/2, 6. 2l.; same. 29.97. O'Meara (Miss J. O'Riordan).

525—Dark Intruder (1), 6/4, 1; Gortskanaga (5), 2/1, 2; Jungle Friar (3), 8/1, 3; Racing Talon (2), 8/1, 4; June Bird (4), 6/1, 5. 2l.; 6l. 31.09. Rowan (Dr. T. F. Dunne).

525—Ballynennon Dauntless (1), 4/5, 1; My Rosette (4), 5/1, 2; White (5), 10/1, 3; Cobbler's Lass (3), 10/1, 4; Queer Hawk (2), 3/1, 5. 2l.; same. 30.25. Quinn (Mr. P. Britton).

525—Pegolina (4), 4/1, 1; Manhattan Midday (5), 4/1, 2; Talent (1), 5/2, 3; Cill Dara (3), 5/2, 4; Final Party (6), 6/1, 5; Dark Moonshine (2), 5/1, 6. 4l.; ½l. 30.49. Owner (Mr. W. Power).

525—Entirely (5), 4/1, 1; White Rolls (6), 3/1, 2; Carne Chief (3), 3/1, 3; Border Mike (4), 3/1, 4; Jack Milton (2), 10/1, 5; Queen's Midnight (1), 4/1, 6. 1½l.; ½l. 31.12. Owner (Mr. P. J. Tubridy).

350—Leap Frog (6), 3/1, 1; Pro Bono (1), 6/4, 2; Do and Don't (3), 8/1, 3; Bru Raven (5), 3/1, 4; Hedge Now (2), 6/1, 5. 2l.; 4l. 20.09. Owner (Mr. D. M. Murphy).

500—Yedda Visca (6), 4/1, 1; Crystal Moonlight (5), 2/1, 2; Matty Fire (2), 2/1, 3; Forard Smasher (3), 5/1, 4; Dashing Gay (4), 7/1, 5; Never Bold (1), 10/1, 6. ½l.; 2½l. 29.45. Owner (Mrs. D. Managhan).

SHELBOURNE PARK CARD

525—Morning Call, Belclair Salmon, Gullane Scraper, Lost Wallet, Rooskey Shotout, Mill Park Boy, Duncan McGreggor, Bronze Inler.
525—Rooskey Blackout, Kill Cat, Dandy Rebel, Kilbelan Lad Gaelic Scribe, Naldont, Daily, Knocknerea.
525—Corkonian, Ballylion Laddie, Lavistown Lane, Monhara, Violet's Son, Shay Boy, Ruddell's Champion, Fanatic Dame.
525—Border Mike Croic na Shea, Coal King, Flame of Glory, Dr. Tibbles, Double Ration, Highland Mike, Like Inler.
525—Bad Intentions, Kilcock Post, Elusive Lord, Kilshannig Hill, Britannia's Daughter, Kilbelan Lass.
525—White, Colour of Gold, Joy Time, Queer Hawk, Fair and Handsome, Contract Seal, Cobbler's Lass, Our Border.
525—Woodland Cut, Kitty Shine, Mallacka, Camp Bugler, Olive's Spark, Mr. Calino, Black Kilrea, Talent.

News in Brief

Children's Allowances.—Claims for children's allowances should be made before the end of this month; otherwise they will not be eligible for the payment of allowances on the first payment period.

Indecency Charge—At Rathfarnham yesterday, Patrick McGonagle (20), Lower Camden street, Dublin, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment, with hard labour, for an indecent assault on a child.

Alleged Theft—Thomas G. Carr, no business and no fixed address, was remanded for a week by District Justice Ua Donnchadha, Dublin, yesterday, charged with stealing a bag at Chapelizod road and a bicycle at Ballymakenny, Drogheda.

Killaloe Appointment.—The Rev. Daniel Clarke, Curate of St. Bartholomew's Church, Clyde road, Dublin, is shortly leaving for Killaloe, where he has been appointed Diocesan Curate and Headmaster of the Diocesan School.

Rathmines Feis.—Entries are well up to previous years in the ninth annual Rathmines Feis, which opens to-day. The chief attraction of the feis will be the Gaelic mixed voice choir contest on the 24th, with Alice Yoakley as adjudicator.

Public Assistance.—The total number of persons in receipt of public assistance on the last Saturday of March, 1944, was 98,234, which is 1,996 less than the previous month. The number of persons in receipt of home assistance was 77,713, or 2,005 less than the previous month.

Milk Suppliers' Request — Co. Kildare Executive of the Milk Producers' Association has decided to approach the Minister for Supplies and the Minister for Agriculture to request that supplies of creamery milk be discontinued to Dublin while there is sufficient milk produced in the counties comprising the Dublin production area.

£85 "Pot of Gold" Won.—Mr. John J. Hughes, 30 Berkeley road, was the only one of the five competitors to give the correct answer to the £85 "Pot of Gold" question which he won at the Theatre Royal last night. The question was: "Name the many eminent Irishmen who held the office of Governor-General."

Jewel Thief Bound Over.—John O'Brien (19), married, 15 Summer street, Limerick, who pleaded guilty, among other similar charges, to breaking into and entering the lock-up shot of Nathaniel Fine, jeweller, O'Connell street, Limerick, and stealing jewellery to the value of £480, was ordered to keep the peace and come up for sentence if called upon within two years.

YOUTH FESTIVAL

Services of special interest will be held in the Methodist Centenary Church to-morrow on the occasion of the young people's annual festival. Young people are specially invited to the evening Service, at which the Rev. Alfred Collins will deliver "A challenge to all youth." This Service will be followed by a Social Hour, when all will have an opportunity of sharing in a discussion.

A choir of 70 voices will sing special music at both Services.

Army Plane Crash Caused by Tree

"THERE have been rumours that my son had taken a plane without authority, and that he had no experience of flying solo. I have had pain enough without these rumours, and that is why I am cross-examining these witnesses."

So declared Chief Superintendent T. Casserly, at the inquest in St. Bricin's Military Hospital, Dublin, yesterday, on his son, Arthur Griffith Casserly, aged 19, the pupil pilot of the Army Air Corps, who was killed last Monday night when the aircraft he was flying crashed in a field behind Scribblestown House, Castleknock.

Evidence was given to show that, after looping the loop at a high altitude, the plane came down to about 20 feet from the ground. Then the left wing caught the branch of a tree and crashed in a field beside the tennis court.

Private Donal Goggins, of the Air Corps, said that the machine was a monoplane used for training. When Mr. Casserly took it up at 7.25 it contained nine gallons of petrol, with which he could fly for approximately one hour.

Answering the City Coroner (Dr. MacErlean), Private Goggins said that he had been flying the plane before Mr. Casserly, and when he took it up there were 14 gallons, approximately, in the tank. Before him, another pilot had been up in it.

Captain Joseph Murray, A.M.S., said that Mr. Casserly was dead when brought to St. Bricin's Hospital. He had performed a *post-mortem*, and he considered that death was due to shock and hemorrhage consequent on a fracture to the base of the skull and laceration of the brain.

Evidence that the machine was perfectly sound and had been tested on the day of the crash, and that Mr. Casserly had been instructed to carry out aerobatics not below 3,000 feet, was given by two military officers.

The Coroner said that he thought that if the plane had not struck the tree it would have got out into the open spaces and there would have been no accident. He did not think the accident was due to any shortage of petrol, and thought that they could only record a verdict in accordance with the medical evidence. The jury agreed.

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LAY-OUTS FOR SUMMER

BY G. O. SHERRARD

THE time has come to think of bedding plants for brightening the garden during the Summer months; the wallflowers are fast fading, and the question is what to put in their place. A summer bedding plant has to provide colour during the whole of the season, consequently its flowering period must be prolonged. The amateur cannot afford to follow the practice of some of the London parks in changing the plants in the middle of the Summer. At the present time the plants which are depended on to give the main colour effects in beds during the Summer months are antirrhinums, dahlias, begonias, geraniums (zonal, and ivy-leafed pelargoniums), marigolds (French and African), petunias, zinnias and salvias (vars. of Salvia splendens). These are the high lights of the garden, so to speak, but they are supported by many flowers less brilliant in colour or of smaller stature such as stocks, asters, ageratum, violas, nicotiana, verbena, nemesia, tagetes, alyssum and lobelia.

COLOUR BLENDS

The question is how to use all this material to the best advantage; here are the paints, but how is the picture to be coloured in? In our parks a system of bedding is adopted which consists of tall dot plants, usually fuchsias, heliotropes, or standard geraniums arising out of a ground work of violas, dwarf geraniums, or begonias, with an edging of lobelia or alyssum. The colours are often skilfully blended, and the effect is very decorative, if a trifle artifical. In gardens, beds of a single colour of dahlia, antirrhinum, geranium or begonia are often planted with or without a border of one of the recognised edging plants, alyssum, lobelia vida, or dwarf targets. Beds of one variety of dahlia such as Coltness Gem, Glorious or Bishop of Llandaff always look well on the lawn. The antirrhinum unfortunately is not so dependable as it used to be now that it is liable to be attacked by rust disease; beds of mixed colours of antirrhinum please me more than those of a single colour. Lines each of a different colour have a very artificial effect in a bed or border, and are to be avoided; it is better to plant in groups of separate colours, or in a mass of one or of mixed colours.

MIXTURES

A very natural effect similar to that produced by a herbaceous border is obtained by mixing the various bedding plants, without arranging them in any set pattern. The tallest should be kept to the back and the shortest to the front, and some of the boldest colour plants such as dahlias, geraniums, begonias, and petunias should be dotted here and there about the centre to give focal points of colour. Otherwise the planting should be quite indiscriminate, and as many different kinds of bedding plants as possible should be used, planting them singly and rather close together. The earlier flowering kinds, such as nemesia and stocks, should be judiciously mixed with the later antirrhinums, asters and dahlias to give immediate colour; they can be pulled out when they have done flowering.

AUCTION SALES

Messrs. Battersby and Co. will sell, on May 23, the furniture and effects at Saint Declans, Killiney, having sold the residence. On May 24th they will offer at their salerooms, 39 Westmoreland street, Alexandra House, Gilford road, Sandymount; 58 Ellesmere avenue, North Circular road; 4 motor cars for the Official Assignee in Bankruptcy, and the antique and modern furnishings of Anglesey, Killiney.

Mr. Albert MacArthur, "The Housefinder, at MacArthur House, D'Olier street, on June 6th, will offer Cranmore, 58 Terenure road, East; Adros, 6 Maypark, Malahide road; Ascot, 61 Albert road, Sandycove; ground rent £35, from 1, 19 and 21 Blackheath Park, Clontarf, and shops and houses, 5 Ossory road, 11 and 12 Hibernian avenue, North Strand.

Messrs. Corrigan and Co.'s next auction, on June 7th, in their Grafton street salerooms, includes Drumgley, Claremont road, Sandymount, with possession; 49 and 51 Wellington place, Clyde road, and fee-simple ground rent, totalling £53 per annum, arising out of nine residences in Baldoyle.

SCHOOL CONCERT

The pupils of St. Margaret's Hall presented a successful French concert in the School yesterday. The proceeds will be divided between the Children's League of Pity and the provision of school prizes for French.

The programme included French songs, recitations, and a short comic sketch, in which the junior pupils took part.

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A woman inspector of the Department gave evidence of having been approached by Mrs. Ebbs to buy a ration book for 15/- or £1. It was also stated that ration books are not only being sold, but are being collected for sale to wealthy people anxious to purchase scarce commodities.

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OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

(*) Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid.
(Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—5 p.c. Second Nat. Loan (113), 113; do. (under £200) (113), 112½; 3½ p.c. Fourth Loan (106), 106; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (under £200) (108½), 108½; 3½ p.c. Financial Agreement (108½), *108½; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (109½), 110; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (117), 117; 3½ p.c. War Loan (103 1/16), 103 1/16; 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan, 104½ (b); Guar. Land 2¾ p.c. 1921 (90½), 90½.

CORPORATION STOCKS—Dublin 3½ p.c. 1963/'83 (102), 102, 1½; Dublin Port and Docks 5 p.c. (115), *115.

BANKS—Bank of Ireland (350½), 350½; Munster and Leinster (136/9), 138/6 (a); National (50/3), *50/1½; Provincial Old (48/6), 49/-; Royal (13½), 14.

BREWERIES—Guinness Ord. (129/3), 129/-, 9/-, 9/1½; Power Ord. (15/-), 15/-.

SHIPPING—Grand Canal Ord. (112/6), 112/6 (b), 115/- (a).

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IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Alliance Gas Ord. (20/3), 20/6, 20/7½; Arklow Pottery Pref. (26/6), 26/- (b); Burke (E. & J.) Pref. (10/-), 10/-; Cement Ord. (43/-), 44/-, 4/1½; do. Deb. (109½), 108½; Clondalkin Paper Ord. (6/7½), 6/6 (b), 6/9 (a); Irish-American Oil Pref. (29/6), 30/- (b), 31/- (a); Irish Cinema Ord. (5/-), 5/-; Irish Wire Products Pref. (21/-), 20/9 (b), 21/9 (a); May Roberts (Ireland) Ord. (51/6), 40/- (b), 47/6 (a); do. Pref. (23/10½), 23/10½; Pye Ord. (7/10½), 8/-; Spillers Ord., 68/9; Todd, Burns Deb. (100/-), 100/-; Williams and Woods Ord. (32/6), 32/6 (a).

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS—Assoc. Cement, 64/9; Coats (J. & P.) (48/3), 47/9; Courtaulds (53/7½), 52/6, *2/7½; Imperial Chemical (39/6), 39/7½; Lever 7 p.c. Pref. (33/3), 33/-; Shell Transport, *77/6; Vickers (19/9), 19/6.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

BRITISH FUNDS.

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De La Rue...	9	
Dorman L. .	27/9	+0/3
Dunlop	44/0	+0/9
Distillers	92/6	
Elec. & Mus.	30/6	−0/1½
English Cotton	34/3	
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Gen Elec. ..	91/9	
Guest Keen ..	38/1½	
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Hawker Sid...	18/4½	
Harland & W.	16/3	+0/1½
Imp Tobacco	7 21/32	
Imp Chemical	39/7½	+0/1½
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Inter Tea	17/4½	
Johnston & P.	74/6	
Leyland	77/0	+0/6
Lever	35/3	
Lever N.V. ...	32/6	
London Brick	62/6	
Morris	43/9	
Murex	105/0	
Marks & S. ..	58/0	−0/3
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P & O Def.	37/0	
Pinchin J.	37/6	
Raleigh	79/9	
Rolls Royce ..	105/0	
Ruston & H...	49/0	
Siemens	30/4	
Sudan Plants..	47/0	+0/3
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Thomas (R.)	10/10½	
Tob. Secs. T.	75/0	
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Triplex	39/6	
Tube Invest...	97/9	+0/3
Turner & N.	84/6	+0/3
United Steel..	26/9	−0/1½
United South..	86/3	
Utd. Molasses	33/6	−0/3
Vickers	19/9	
Wall Paper Def.	41/6	
White Tomkin	44/6	
Watney Def. ..	84/6	
Woolworth ..	61/3	

MINES		
Ang. Am. Inv	53/9	
Ashanti	61/3	−0/3
Bibiani	27/9	
Blyvoor	86/10½	
Brakpan	22/6	
Chartered ...	27/3	
Cons Diam'd..	39/6	
Cons Afr. Sel	21/6*	
Cons G.F.	58/1½	
Crown	7⅛	
Daggafontein	45/0	+0/7½
De Beers	19	
East Dagga	44/4½	
East Geduld ..	9½	
E. Rand Prop.	39/4½	
Geduld	8	
Govt Areas ..	38/9	
J'burg Cons. ..	63/1½	
Langlaagte ..	7/0	
Libanon	19/4½	
Luipaards	18/4½	−0/1½
Marievale	33/9	
Nigel Gold	50/7½	
Roan	10/3	
Rhod. Ang. A.	17/1½	+0/1½
Rhodesian Sel.	12/9	
Rhokana ...	7	
Rio Tinto ..	14	
Simmer and J.	10/6	
Springs	17/6	
S.A. Land ..	66/3	
Venterspost ..	33/1½	
Vereeniging ..	63/9	
Victoria Falls	82/6	
Vlakfontein ..	33/0	
Vogels'bult ..	25/6	−0/6
West Holding..	34/4½	
West Reefs	65/7½	
West Springs ..	25/7½	+0/7½
West Wits ..	9 13/16	+1/16
Wit Nigel ..	7/10½	

OILS—RUBBERS		
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Attock	50/6	
Burmah	81/3*	
Can. Eagle ..	12/0	
Mex. Eagle ..	11/3	+0/1½
Shell	78/1½	
Trin. Lease ..	94/4½	+1/3
Do. Pet. Dev.	81/3	
Ultramar	66/6	−0/3
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Anglo-Malay ..	6/7	
Highlands	17/0	
Kuala Lumpur	20/0	
Malacca ...	15/0	
Malayalam ..	34/0*	
Rubber Trust.	19/9	
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Utd. Serdang	2/0	

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for best Slogan appropriate to Tramore (not to exceed six words). Slogans with 1/- entry each Slogan, to:— The Secretary, TRAMORE DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION, Tramore, Co. Waterford.

ELECTION NOTICES

DAIL ELECTION, 1944.
DUBLIN, NORTH-EAST.
The Labour Party Candidate
JIM LARKIN
Will Speak at the following Meetings:—
SUNDAY, 21st MAY:
FURRY PARK ... 11 a.m. (Howth Road)
GRIFFITH AVE.. 12 noon (Marino)
MONDAY, 22nd May:
VERNON AVE.... 8 p.m.
CLONLIFFE RD. 9 p.m.

VOTE FOR LARKIN — VOTE LABOUR
(Watch for further announcements).

FINE GAEL
The TRUTH about the Transport Bill. Hear it at TO-MORROW'S MEETINGS.
VOTE
BOURKE, T. P.
BYRNE, M.
DOCKRELL, T.D., M. E.
DOYLE, T.D., P. S.
Your South City Candidates.
TO-MORROW'S PUBLIC MEETINGS:
DONORE AVENUE: 12.30 p.m.
JAMES'S STREET: 8.30 p.m.

MID-ULSTER SHORTHORN BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION.

THE ANNUAL AUTUMN SALE
OF ABOVE ASSOCIATION WILL BE RESUMED ON
WEDNESDAY, 11th OCTOBER, 1944.

Classes for Pure-bred Shorthorn and Aberdeen-Angus Cows, Heifers and Bull and Heifer Calves; also Cross-bred Registered Dairy Cows and their progeny.

Fuller particulars in later advertisements.

WM. PARKE, Secretary, Cookstown.

Companies Pay Larger Dividends

THE war news from Italy provided the London Stock Markets with reasons for confidence, but, as is now customary at the end of a week, operators showed little inclination to open fresh commitments. Values were, however, strongly held, and there was again selective buying on a small scale.

Little business was reported by dealers in British Funds and Home Rails, but Brazilian Bonds were again supported, although some profit-taking brought prices back to previous levels.

The general trend of Industrials was upwards. Tobaccos were well supported with Godfrey Phillips again supported up to 57/6, while Carreras "A" moved up 1/3 to 75/6. Breweries were fractionally better on the recent good dividend declarations.

Speculative interest was absent in either Rubbers or Mines, while Oils were quiet.

Increased distributions are again the feature of dividend announcements made yesterday. Another brewery, Duttons, Blackburn is again in the forefront with a final dividend of 3 per cent. (against 2 per cent.) making 5 per cent. for the year (against 4 per cent. in each of the four previous years). The peak dividend of the company was 8 per cent. for 1938. Its £1 Ord. units are quoted at 24/3.

Cow and Gate, Ltd., is raising its dividend to 15 per cent. from 10 per cent. last year, and 7½ in the year before that. Earnings in 1942 were equal to over 23 per cent.

Malkin Tiles (Burslem), Ltd., after making losses in 1941 and 1942 paid 7½ per cent. for the year to February, 1943. This is increased for the past year to 10 per cent. Its 2/- Ord shares are quoted at 4/6.

A. B. Fleming and Co., the Edinburgh manufacturers of printing ink, etc., is this year adding a bonus of 2½ per cent. to the 15 per cent. dividend paid for each of the past two years. In pre-war years bonuses were added to the 15 per cent. dividends. The £1 Ord. shares are about 50/3.

Associated Weavers of Bradford is raising its dividend for the year from 20 to 25 per cent. For several years past the annual dividend has been 20 per cent. The 4/- Ord. shares rose to 19/4½ on the announcement

Since it issued its report for 1943 in March there has been considerable activity in the shares of British Ropes, Ltd. They have a nominal value of 2/6 and have risen from about 7/- to 8/6. The report showed a recovery in profits from £129,510 to £150,741. Earnings available for dividends on the £876,238 of Ordinary capital equalled 25 per cent., but the dividend was maintained at 12½ per cent., the same rate as for each year since 1939 when a capital bonus of 100 per cent. was distributed. At the present price the shares yield only £3 13s. 6d. per cent., but the company is now on a sound basis and should do well in post-war years. The company and its subsidiaries manufacture all kinds of wire and hemp rope, and its factories are known to be working to capacity.

FOOD MARKETS

DUBLIN FISH—On offer, 156 salmon, 13 lots lobsters, 394 boxes herrings, 276 boxes mackerel, and a small amount from country senders. Demand good, at:—Lobsters 10/- to 40/- per 13; salmon 3/- to 3/9, trout 2/6, soles 2/- to 3/8, turbot 1/- to 1/7, brill 1/- to 2/- per lb.; herrings 20/- to 30/-, mackerel 15/- to 30/-, plaice 60/- to 190/-, dabs 23/- to 53/-, cod 40/- to 83/-, whiting 30/- to 66/-, ray 28/- to 58/-, and conger eels 29/- to 43/-, per box.

DUBLIN POTATO—Champions and Tipperary Dates 10/6, Spry's Abundance and Kerr's Pinks 10/-, and Banners 8/- per cwt. ex-store.

DUBLIN POULTRY—Good supplies, with prices well maintained, except rabbits, ducklings and large grazers, which showed a weaker trend. Chickens, small 2/4 to 2/5, large 1/10 to 2/-; spring cockerels 3/1; hens, young 11d. to 1/1, heavy alive 1/- to 1/1; turkeys, prime young 2/3, ducklings 1/9 per lb.; guinea fowl 24/- to 25/-, woodquest 2/9, rabbits 1/10; grazers, large 1/6 to 1/10, and small 4d. to 8d. each.

Little Green Market, Dublin.
CARTON BROS., LTD.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN GRAIN—Oats 34/6 to 36/- per barrel delivered.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.—Butter in fair supply at 246/- per cwt., less box allowance (control price). Eggs offering fairly freely, with values showing little change. Specials 27/- to 27/6, standards 24/9 to 25/3, selected 22/6 to 23/-; pullets' 20/6 to 21/6, seconds 17/6 to 19/-, and duck 19/- to 20/- per 120.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Fair supplies met a brighter demand, except lettuce and scallions, which were slow to finish. York cabbage, large 30/- to 90/-, small 15/- to 35/- load; swedes 4/- to 6/- per cwt.; cauliflowers 3/- to 7/-, seconds 6d. to 2/-; cucumbers 18/- to 24/- doz.; rhubarb 4/- to 15/-, carrots 2/6 to 5/- dozen bunches, 8/- to 20/- bag; parsley 3/- to 4/-, spinach 2/9 to 4/-; turnips (new) 1/- to 2/6, scallions 1/- to 2/6, leeks 2d. to 6d., mint 2d. to 4d., thyme 3d. to 6d. bunch; new potatoes, best 6d. to 8d., small 3d. to 3½d.; tomatoes 5/- to 5/6, strawberries 8/- to 12/-, asparagus 2/6 to 3/-, French beans 4/- to 5/-, mushrooms 4/- to 5/9, and gooseberries 8d. to 1/- per lb.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Best hay 8/6 to 9/-, secondary 7/6 to 8/3, strong old meadow 6/6 to 7/-, softer 5/- to 6/-, and straw 3/- to 4/- per cwt., according to quality.

J. LIGHTFOOT & SON, M.I.A.A., HAY, STRAW, CORN and POTATO FACTORS, MARY'S LANE and GEORGE'S HILL, DUBLIN. (Established 1813).—(Advt.)

AUCTIONS

RIVERSTOWN, RATHFEIGH, CO. MEATH.

I HAVE been favoured with instructions from Mrs. K. Lovatt to SELL BY AUCTION at ABOVE ADDRESS on WED., MAY 24th, 1944, at 1 p.m. (S.T.), a useful and attractive collection of Indoor and Outdoor Effects, including the Contents of a Sittingroom, Sporting Prints (sets of "Cock Fighting," "The Aylesbury Grand Chase," etc.), a Slow Combustion Stove (burns anything), with 12ft. piping; over 200 Books, comprising Novels, an issue copy of "Old English Sporting Books," by Ralph Nevill; special edition, "With Napoleon at Waterloo," by Bruce Low; 22 vols. of Whyte Melville's Works; vols. 1 to 26 of General Stud Book, and many useful and interesting Horse Breeding and Racing Reference Books; a quantity of Stationery; Solid Leather Kit Bags, Suit Cases, Dressing Case, Bedroom Ware, Cretonne and Velvet Curtains, large Lambskin and other Rugs, Blankets, Loose Cretonne Covers, Reading Lamps, Horse Blankets.

A complete Canteen of Cutlery and Silver, together with a quantity of Entree Dishes, Sets of Cutlery and Knives, and other Silver Table Ware.

About 50 pieces Blue and White "Copeland" China Dishes, Plates, etc.; Cut Glass, including Decanters, 6 Antique Punch Glasses and other valuable Glass Tumblers; Philips Portable Radio, Picnic Baskets, Milk Separator, Sets of Butchers' Knives, Hen Houses and Runs, Coops, Battery Brooder, Wire Netting, Barbed Wire, Garden Tools, Saws, 27ft. Ladder, quantity of Timber, Garden Lights, Glass, No. 5 Ludgate Boiler, Harness, Breaking Tackle, Ropes.

Valuable collection of Joiners' Tools, Grindstone, an almost-new "Frances Barnett Auto-Cycle, Rubber-tyred London Gig, with hood, to fit horse 16 hds.; Tennis Balls, Golf Clubs, and a variety of other useful items.

Terms—Cash and 5% fees.
View Morning of Sale.
Riverstown is 4 miles from Duleek (G.N.R.) and 1 mile from the Dublin-Slane road.

JOHN D. BARRET,
Auctioneer and Estate Agent,
SLANE AND BALRATH, CO. MEATH.

SWINFORD, CO. MAYO.

SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY OF VERY VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES, WITH VACANT POSSESSION.

WE have been instructed to SELL a BUSINESS PREMISES situate in Market street, in Town of Swinford, as a going concern, with the Stock-in-Trade, consisting of Drapery, Millinery, Boots, etc. Excellent business site in progressive town. House is in splendid condition; 3 storeyed, comprising shop, dining and drawingrooms, kitchen, 5 bedrooms, etc. Large yard and out-offices. Also adjoining house occupied by tenant, and stable and loft.

Held subject to small Land Commission annuities. Owner retiring from business.

Further particulars from P. O'CONNOR and SON, Solicitors, Swinford; or

HURST & KEANE,
Auctioneers, SWINFORD.

BOWLES & CO.'S SALES.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF AUCTION, WEDNESDAY, 28th JUNE, 1944.

BOLEY, MONKSTOWN, CO. DUBLIN.

The above magnificent Mansion, with 16 Acres held under Fee-Farm grant, subject to £43 16s. per year, is a property which offers many attractive possibilities to the investor. The Mansion, which is in excellent repair, is suitable for use as a school or by a community. The Lands are ideally situated for development as a building site, with a frontage of over 1,200 feet on main road. E light, water and sewerage are available.

For further particulars apply—
Messrs. E. & G. STAPLETON, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 29 Molesworth Street; or the Auctioneers.

ON THE SAME DATE
THE FOLLOWING PROPERTIES WILL ALSO BE OFFERED FOR SALE (UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

35 MERRION AVENUE, BLACKROCK.

LONG LEASE. £7 10s G. RENT. VACANT POSSESSION.

BUILDING SITE,

CONVENIENT TO FINGLAS R.C. CHURCH, CONSISTING OF ONE ACRE, HELD RENT-FREE.

£93 PROFIT RENT

OUT OF FIRST-CLASS PROPERTY, HAROLD'S CROSS.

1 CHURCH AVENUE, RATHMINES.

HELD FREE OF RENT, AND LET AT £110 PER YEAR.
Full particulars of these Properties will appear in due course.

BOWLES & CO.
(P. A. BOWLES, M.I.A.A.),
Auctioneers, Surveyors & Valuers,
24 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET.

SALE BY GANLY & SONS.

HOLLYWOOD, GOATSTOWN, DUNDRUM, CO. DUBLIN.

WE HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE OWNERS TO SELL BY AUCTION,
In Our Salerooms, 18/20 Usher's Quay, Dublin, at 3 o'clock,
On THURSDAY NEXT, 25th MAY, 1944.

The above Property comprises a magnificent, non-basement Residence, newly decorated, in absolutely perfect repair, with excellent out-offices and walled-in garden, with greenhouse, together with about 6 Acres, Statute Measure, of prime quality Land.

The House contains 4 bedrooms, 2 maids rooms, 3 sittingrooms, bathroom, hot press, linen cupboard, scullery, kitchen, with Taycoette Cooker; pantries, etc. Telephone, electric light and bells throughout. The entire Property is in perfect repair. There is a cottage; also good accommodation for a gardener.

There is a terminable Land Commission Annuity of about £10. Tithe Rent charge of 14s. 9d. The Poor Law Valuation on the Buildings is £56, and on the Lands is about £16 (to be apportioned)

This Property is beautifully located, with magnificent views, and is situate about four miles from the city, and is within one minute of the Goatstown bus terminus and five minutes from Dundrum Railway Station.

Seen only on Order to View, to be obtained from the Auctioneers.
Full particulars and Conditions of Sale on application to—
Messrs. JAMES W. LANE & CO., Solicitors, 11 St. Stephen's Green, North, Dublin; or—

GANLY & SONS, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneers, Livestock Salesmen and Wool Brokers,
18/20 USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN. Tel. 75487.

CORRIGAN & CO.'s SALES.

AUCTION WEDNESDAY, 7th JUNE, AT 2.30,
IN SALEROOMS, 4 GRAFTON STREET.

DRUMGLEY, 45a CLAREMONT ROAD, SANDYMOUNT

(IF NOT PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

Modern, detached Residence of much character, picturesquely set in beautiful cultivated gardens. Placed in a lovely secluded spot, reached by a short private carriage-way off Claremont road, within such easy reach of all classes of transport and short distance of town. The house has been tastefully re-decorated throughout, and contains:—Hall, cloakroom, 3 reception rooms, including breakfast room, fitted with boiler grate; 4 bedrooms, magnificent bathroom, with hot press and immersion heater; separate w.c. and outside w.c.; kitchen fitted with excellent wall presses, service hatch and gas boiler; electric light and heating plugs throughout; large conservatory and useful workshop, garage. POSSESSION. PHOTOGRAPHS WITH THE AUCTIONEERS. SEEN BY APPOINTMENT.

Held on Pembroke Lease for 150 years from 1926; indemnified against rent. P.L.V. £29.
Solicitor: C. H. MAIDMENT, Esq., 31/32 Kildare Street.

49 & 51 WELLINGTON PLACE, Clyde Rd. (ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE),

Showing Annual Estimated Profit Rent of £145 5s. 0d.

The two Houses concerned are inter-communicating and form the principal accommodation of ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE. Each house is solidly constructed in four storeys, and both are suitably amalgamated for the requirements of the College. The Property is held under two leases each for 150 years from 1843, subject to total rent of £11 15s. 0d. per annum, and is sub-leased to the College authority for 56 years from 1937, subject to the yearly rent of £157 over and above rates The secured profit rent, therefore, works out at £145 5s. 0d. per annum. The P.L.V. is £110.

Further particulars may be had from the Auctioneers.

FEE-SIMPLE GROUND RENTAL, £53 P.A.,

Payable out of nine Residences at New Road, Nolan Road and Grange Road, Baldoyle, Co. Dublin.

Solicitors: Messrs. McCRACKEN & SON, 94 Grafton Street.

Auctioneers:
CORRIGAN & CO.,
4 GRAFTON STREET.

TORMEY BROS.' AUCTIONS,

AT 26/27 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,
(2 minutes from Metal Bridge),
TUESDAY NEXT, AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

THE CAPITAL FURNITURE, PIANOS, SILVER AND PLATED WARE AND MISCELLANEA (PRINCIPALLY THE CONTENTS OF 25 VICTORIA ST., together with Residues from Lansdowne road and Oaklands terrace, REMOVED TO OUR ROOMS FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE), briefly comprising:—Upright Iron Frame Pianos, by German and English makers, in perfect order; superb Set of 6 Mahogany Reproduction Chairs in Morocco Leather; Set of 8 Queen Anne Pattern Chairs, including 2 Carvers; 8 very fine Mahogany Panel-back Chairs in Leather, various other Sets and Occasional Chairs; Antique Corner Cabinet, Antique Mahogany Sideboard, Antique Mahogany Bookcase, with Diamond Doors; Nelson Mahogany Dining Table, pair Convex Mirrors, Antique Brass Fenders and Appliances, 12ft. by 12ft. Axminster Carpet, 12 by 9 Wilton Carpet, 10 by 7½ Axminster Carpet; various other Carpets, Rugs, Runners and Underfelts; 2 American A.C. Radio Sets; Mahogany, Oak and Walnut Mirror-back Sideboards; Smith Premier Typewriter (as new); various other Dining Tables, 7-Piece Diningroom Suites, China Cabinets, Overmantels and Mirrors; OLD IRISH AND GEORGIAN SILVER, Spoons, Forks, Knives; Silver Tea Set, Plated Tea Set, Plated Salver, Plated Cake Baskets, Pair Plated Candelabra, Plated Coasters, Plated Forks and Spoons; Pyrex Dish, Carving Set, Stainless Knives; Forks and Spoons; Delph and China, including Dinner and Tea Sets; quantity of Wine and other Glasses; various Pictures, including Set of "Cries of London"; Benares Tray and Stand, Oval Mirrors, Jardinieres, Vases; Plush Curtains and Lace Curtains; 3-Piece Chesterfield Suites, Easy and Divan Chairs; Chiming Clock, Antique Mahogany Hall Clock; Antique Hall Table and Chairs; Antique Plate Bucket Antique Chest Drawers, Papier Maché Tray, Ornaments, Oak Hall Stand and 2 Chairs, Victorian Mahogany Hall Table (richly carved). The Bedroom Furniture includes superior 6ft. 6in. Inlaid Mahogany Bedroom Suite, with 4ft. 6in. Bow Front (Panel Bed and Mesh Wire to match); 4ft. 6in. Inlaid Mahogany Bedroom Suite, with 4ft. Bed, Wire and Interior Spring Mattresses, as new; various modern Fig. Walnut and Oak Bedroom Suites, very fine 6ft. Jacobean Oak Bedroom Suite, with Twin Beds to match; several Beds, Wires, Hair and Fibre Mattresses; Bed Linen; Mahogany and Walnut Bedroom Stands and Duchess Pairs, M.D. Wardrobes, Linen Presses, Chests Drawers, etc.; several rooms of good Linoleum; Bentwood and Window Chairs, Kitchen Dressers, Electric Washer, Culinary Utensils, and numerous Miscellaneous Effects.

NOTE—SALE COMMENCES AT 12 O'C.

Auctioneers: Phone 21292.
TORMEY BROS., LTD.,
M.I.A.A., 26/27 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
SALE OF SUPERIOR RESIDENCE.

BRUNKER LODGE, BLACKROCK, DUNDALK.

VACANT POSSESSION.

WE have been favoured with instructions from the Owners to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in our Offices, 10 Park street, Dundalk, on MONDAY, 5th JUNE, 1944, at One o'clock.

All that attractive Residence known as Brunker Lodge containing 2 reception rooms, breakfast room, kitchen, etc.; 6 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), w.c., garage, electric light. Garden at rear, ornamental grounds in front

The entire premises are in perfect condition and ready for immediate occupation.

The property is held in Fee simple, free of rent. Poor Law valuation £17 5/-.

Full particulars next issue or from:—
R. ESPINASSE and CO., Solicitors, Dundalk; or

N. B. KING & CO.,
M.I.A.A., Auctioneers and Valuers,
DUNDALK AND ARDEE.

CARAGH LAKE, CO. KERRY.

ATTRACTIVE Residence, on Lake shore, known as "The Hollies," with either 15 or 38 Acres of Wooded Land, for SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at Auctioneer's Address, on SATURDAY, 3/6/'44, at 1 p.m. (S.T.). Abundance of fishing and shooting.

Further particulars from

WILLIAM H. GILES,
M.I.A.A., Auctioneer,
23 DENNY STREET, TRALEE.

SALES BY GAVIN LOW, LTD.

BALBRIGGAN LIVE STOCK SALE,

ON MONDAY NEXT,
At 12 Noon.

STORE CATTLE SALE,

AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
EVERY WEDNESDAY.
Entries Invited.

GAVIN LOW, LTD.,
M.I.A.A.
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.
Telephone 76216.

RATTOO ABBEY, BALLYDUFF, CO. KERRY.

PROPERTY OF MISS E. F. BROWNE,
FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY.

Magnificent Residence, with approximately 46 Acres of Land. Held in fee simple, free of rent. Vacant possession in November, 1944.

Particulars from and offers to:—

WILLIAM H. GILES,
M.I.A.A., Auctioneer,
23 DENNY STREET, TRALEE.

or
Messrs. M. J. BYRNE & CO., Solicitors, Listowel.

ARCHBOLD, CORRY & O'CONNOR'S SALES.

AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,
NEXT FRIDAY, 26th MAY, at Two o'clock,

82 LOWER CAMDEN STREET.

ANNUAL PROFIT RENT £157 3s. 2d.

Three-storey Business Premises and Dwelling, with store and stable at rear. Let as follows to four weekly tenants:—Shop, store and yard at £156 yearly; upper portion at £78 yearly; rear portion at £26 yearly—totalling £260 per annum; landlord pays rates. P.L.V., £62. Lease for ever at yearly rent of £38

JAMES FAGAN, Solicitor, 58 Parnell Square.

11 HAYMARKET.

Spacious, well-built Store, about 2,700 square feet; concreted floors, well lighted; new roof, office fitting and counter, two lock-up apartments, lavatory accommodation; electric light and power, water, gate entrance; convenient to markets. Lease 100 years from 1941 at £30 per annum. P.L.V., £33. Vacant Possession.

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ARCHBOLD, CORRY & O'CONNOR
M.I.A.A., Auctioneers and Valuers ('Phone 73500),
10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

STOKES & QUIRKE'S SALES.

FURNITURE SALE, WEDNESDAY NEXT,
ON VIEW TUESDAY, 10—5.

CNOC MUIRE, SEAFIELD AVENUE, MONKSTOWN.

ANTIQUE & MODERN FURNITURE, PIANOFORTE, Etc.

HAVING sold the Residence, we have been instructed TO SELL THE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, which, briefly, comprises:—Upright Overstrung Piano, China Cabinets, Sheraton Pedestal Sideboard, Sheraton Occasional and other Tables; Mahogany Diningroom Suite, 6 Diningroom Chairs, 2 Carvers, Dumb Waiters, French Pedestal Desk, Mahog. Open-fronted Bookcase, adjustable shelves; Books, Pedestal Writing Table, Mahog. Bureau Bookcase, Overmantels, Chesterfield Suites, Carved and other Mirrors, Couches and Armchairs, Clocks, Mahogany Wardrobes, Plated Ware, Silver, China, Delph, Linen, etc. Kitchen Ware, Utensils for Esse Cooker, Electrolux Refrigerator, Electrolux Cleaner and carts. Bedroom Suites, Toilet Tables, Washstands, Chromium Electric Towel Rail, Donegal and Axminster Carpets, Stair Carpeting, Linoleum; Underwood and Corona Portable Typewriters, Chubb's Safe, Trunks, Suit Cases, etc. Outdoor effects, including Ladders, Garden Seats, Rollers, Tools, Lawn Mowers, Tables, Flower Pots, 150' Garden Hose. Austin 10 h.p 1938 Saloon Car.

On View Tuesday, 23rd May, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission to View and Sale, 1/-. Sale commencing 12 Noon.

SALE MONDAY, 5th JUNE, at 2 p.m.,
UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF,
AT ERRIS HOTEL, BALBRIGGAN, CO. DUBLIN,

FARM OF 147 ACRES FREEHOLD LAND,

AT HERBERTSTOWN, STAMULLEN, CO. MEATH.

THE Residence having been demolished, we have been instructed to sell this very desirable Freehold property, in one, two or more lots, to suit intending purchasers.

The proposed divisions will be as follows:—

LOT 1.—Forest Land, containing 28a. 1r. 28p. (S.M.), or thereabouts, together with Gate Lodge situated thereon, which is let at 2/- per week.

LOT 2.—The Clover Field, the Well Field and the Fallow Field, containing 52a. 1r. 24p. (S.M.), or thereabouts.

LOT 3.—The Wheat Field, 2 Lawns, Garden, Paddock and residue of Forest Land, situated on each side of where the dwellinghouse stood, containing 66a. 1r. 26p. (S.M.), or thereabouts, together with a Cottage, small Dwellinghouse and Out-offices thereon. The Cottage is let at £8 per annum, and the Dwellinghouse is vacant.

There is a stream running through the land, and every division has an independent water supply. 17 acres are under cultivation, and provision has been made for the tillage requirements of the current year.

P.L.V. on entire Lands is £134; on the Cottage on Lot 1, £3; on the cottage on Lot 3, £3 10s. 0d. Estimated P.L.V. of vacant Cottage, £4.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to
Messrs. MORAN & RYAN, Solicitors, 34 & 35 Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin.

BUILDING MATERIALS.

SALE MONDAY, 5th JUNE, at 4 p.m.,
On the ABOVE-MENTIONED LANDS.
500,000 RED STOCK BRICKS. Lots of 1,000. Seen any time.
Further particulars from Auctioneers.

SALE TUESDAY, 6th JUNE, at 12 noon, on the Premises.

MUNSTER HOTEL, THURLES, CO. TIPPERARY

(7-DAY LICENCE ATTACHED).

Unique and valuable property situated in one of the most prosperous provincial towns in Ireland, and in Cathedral Street, one of the busiest centres of the town.

It is a three-storey building, sound and solid in every respect, and consists of:—Ground floor: Diningroom, sittingroom, commercial room, smoke room, bar, kitchen with range and gas cooker, larder and pantries, 2 staff rooms First Floor: 3 bedrooms, 2 sittingrooms, bathroom, w.c. Second Floor: 7 bedrooms.

At the rear of the premises there is a spacious yard with entrance from the Main Street, and having a large store, garage and stabling for 6 horses.

The property is Freehold. P.L.V. £30. Annual Rates, £20 15s. Water Rate, £2 2s. 6d. Licence, £5.

THIS HOTEL HAS HELD A CONSISTENT TRADE OVER A LONG NUMBER OF YEARS, AND PROVIDES A SUITABLE INVESTMENT.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to:
Messrs. J. J. RYAN & SON, Solicitors, Parnell Street, Thurles.

SALE WEDNESDAY, 7th JUNE.

5 ST. JAMES' TERRACE, MALAHIDE.

ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, BOOKS, Etc.
DETAILS LATER.

HOUSES FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY.

LUCAN—Modern detached Residence, free of rent; 2 reception, 5 bedrooms, maid's room and all conveniences. Seen by appointment with Sole Agents.

KILLINEY—Attractive granite-built semi-detached House, with access to the beach. Containing 2 reception rooms, breakfast-room, kitchen, 5 bedrooms (h. and c.), etc.; all modern conveniences.

MONKSTOWN—Attractive Residence, having been built to the design of Sir Thomas Drew, eminent architect. Containing 3 reception rooms, study, 5 bedrooms, maid's room; all modern conveniences. Seen only by appointment with Sole Agents.

STOKES & QUIRKE, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS, VALUERS, HOUSE AND LAND AGENTS, SPECIALISTS IN SPORTING PROPERTIES AND CITY INVESTMENTS. EST 1896
33 KILDARE STREET, DUBLIN. 'PHONE 64895
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AND AT FETHARD. PHONE FETHARD: 14

COUNTY OF MEATH.

SALE OF 97 ACRES LAND, WITH CHARMING RESIDENCE,

Known as DONECARNEY HOUSE, NEAR DROGHEDA.

WE are favoured with instructions from the Representatives of George Henry Daly, Deceased, to

SELL BY AUCTION, IN THE SALEROOMS,
30 LAURENCE STREET, DROGHEDA,
On SATURDAY, 3rd JUNE, 1944, at Two o'clock (S.T.),

Parts of the Lands of Donecarney Little and of Mornington, with the Residence and Offices thereon, in One Lot, as follows:—

(a) All That Part of the Lands of Donecarney Little, containing 22 acres 1 rood 14 perches, or thereabouts, Statute Measure, in the Electoral Division of St. Mary's, and County of Meath, with the Residence known as Donecarney House and the Buildings thereon, held for ever indemnified against all rent. Poor Law Valuation: Land £25, Buildings £20; and also

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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BIRTHS.

CAMPBELL—May 4, 1944, at a Dublin hospital, to Florence Mary (*née* Birney), wife of John Campbell, Rathnally, Trim, a daughter (Elizabeth Hannah).

DOWNES—May 16, 1944, to Primrose, wife of T. P. Downes, of Bellevue, Mullingar, a daughter.

DOYLE—May 8, 1944, at Bellville, New Ross, to Betty (*née* Kelly), wife of John P. Doyle, a daughter.

HYNES—May 1, 1944, at the Stella Maris Nursing Home, Earlsfort terrace, Dublin, to Mary Frances (*née* Gallagher), wife of Francis A. Hynes, 24 Seapark road, Clontarf, a son.

McCULLOCH—May 12, 1944, at 15 Lower Hatch street, to Alice and Jack McCulloch, Clonswords, Ballyboughal, the gift of a son.

MacGUINNESS—May 11, 1944, at Hatch Street Nursing Home, to Betty, wife of Dr. A. P. MacGuinness, Hazeldene, Putland road, Bray, a son (Bernard James Mary).

MONTGOMERY—May 15, 1944, at the Harcourt Nursing Home, to Brenda (*née* Boydell), wife of Mr. Douglas Montgomery, F.R.C.S.I., a daughter (Gillian Joan).

O'DONOHOE—May 16, 1944, at Stella Maris, Earlsfort terrace, Dublin, to Oonagh, wife of Humphrey E. O'Donohoe, Cloncarrig, Foxrock, Co. Dublin, a son (Daniel John).

SHANNON—May 14, 1944, at the Wentworth Nursing Home, Upper Leeson street, to Mary (*née* Keating), wife of P. E. Shannon, Spring Valley, Summerhill, Meath, a son.

MARRIAGES.

CLEGG and COLE—April 12, 1944, at Aghancon Church, Roscrea, John Edward Clegg, Borris, Maryborough, to Pearline Constance Maud, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Cole, Garryhill, Aghancon, Roscrea.

COULTER and JOHNSON—March 22, 1944, at Ballymote Parish Church, by Rev. I. H. McCoombe, B.D.; Albert Norman, second son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Coulter, Dunkineely, Co. Donegal, to Elizabeth Margery, only daughter of the late F. W. Johnson and Mrs. Johnson, 5 Main street, Ballymote, Co. Sligo.

GREER and SHAW—April 11, 1944, at Drumcondra Church, Dublin, by the Rev. C. J. Tyndall, M.A.; William John Greer, New street, Longford, to Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Shaw, Glack, Longford.

HARVEY and CLANCY-GORE—April 26, 1944, in Co. Dublin, Reuben Valentine, only son of Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Harvey, Dunmore, Glenageary, Co. Dublin, to Nano Patricia, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Clancy-Gore, Marlborough House, Co. Dublin.

McCLELLAND and JOLLEY—April 26, 1944, at Glenealy Parish Church, Glenealy, Co. Wicklow, by the Venerable the Archdeacon of Glendalough, assisted by the Rev. N. H. Hamilton, Rector of Christ Church, Leeson Park, Dublin; the Rev. W. Hamilton Horace McClelland, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McClelland, Annahugh House, Loughgall, Co. Armagh, to Eva Adelaide, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Jolley, Ballyfree House, Glenealy, Co. Wicklow.

DEATHS.

CHARLEY—May 18, 1944, at his residence, Seymour Hill, Dunmurry (as the result of an accident), Capt. Arthur Frederick Charley, J.P. Funeral at 2.30 p.m. to-day (Saturday) to Drumbeg Churchyard. No flowers.

COBBE—May 19, 1944, at her residence, Clonsast, Rathangan, Anne, wife of the late Michael Cobbe. Funeral at Clonbullogue to-morrow (Sunday) after Morning Service. "Peace, perfect peace." American and Canadian papers, please copy.

FALLON—May 17, 1944, at St. Mary's, Eglinton, Canal road, Galway, Ellen, relict of Patrick Fallon, Corrawkeel, Dunmore. R.I.P. Funeral took place to Dunmore yesterday (Friday).

HACKET—May 13, 1944, at his residence, The Mill, Horseleap, Westmeath, Joseph, only son of the late Owen and Mary Hacket. Deeply regretted by his relatives and a large circle of friends. R.I.P. American papers, please copy.

HARRIS (*née* Duignan)—May 19, 1944, at Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, Mary Joe, widow of Henry C. Harris, 25 St. Benedict's Gardens, Dublin. Deeply and deservedly regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to St. Joseph's, Berkeley road, to-morrow (Sunday), at 3.30 p.m. Funeral after 10 o'clock Mass, Monday next, 22nd, to Glasnevin.

IRWIN—May 18, 1944 (suddenly), at his residence, Hill-of-Down, Co. Meath, Michael George, brother of Rev. John Irwin, C.C., Athboy. R.I.P. Office and High Mass in Clonard Church to-day (Saturday) at 11 o'clock (S.T.). Funeral same day, 2 o'clock (S.T.).

MAGUIRE—May 18, 1944, at her residence, Moneymore, Longwood, Co. Meath (suddenly), Elizabeth, relict of James Maguire. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing family. R.I.P. Office and High Mass in Longwood Church to-day (Saturday) at 10.30 o'clock (O.T.). Funeral same day at 2 o'clock (O.T.).

MARSDEN—May 15, 1944, at the residence of his daughter, Lily Hunt, 8 St. Ann's road, Coventry, Edward William Marsden, aged 85 (late of 174 Lower Rathmines road, Dublin).

"Father, in Thy gracious keeping,
Leave we now Thy servant sleeping."

PETTIGRUE—May 18, 1944, at County Infirmary, Navan, Annie G. Pettigrue, Ardbraccan, Navan, fifth daughter of the late Thomas Pettigrue. Funeral (private) today (Saturday).

RUANE, KING, MURTAGH, STRITCH—May 18, 1944, at Kiltimagh, Co. Mayo (result of fire), James Martin Ruane, late Captain, National Army, L.D.F. member (merchant), brother of Senator Sean T. Ruane, P.C., Kiltimagh, and Mr. P. J. Ruane, Dublin; Mary Ruane, his wife, three of their children, Tom, aged 7 years; Maura, aged 6 years; Seamus, aged 5 years; Kathleen King, of Rathdowney, Co. Leix (shop assistant); Kathleen Murtagh, of Castleroyan, Swinford, Co. Mayo (apprentice); Michael Stritch, of Emmet street, Fermoy, Co. Cork (storekeeper). May they rest in peace. Remains were removed to Kiltimagh Parish Church on Thursday evening. Solemn Requiem Mass at 11 o'clock (S.T.) to-day (Saturday). Funerals to Kilkinure, Kiltimagh, immediately afterwards.

SPEEDY—May 7, 1944, in India (suddenly), William Dinwoodie Speedy, M.D., beloved husband of Doreen (*née* Archer), and devoted eldest son of the late Thomas and of Mrs. Speedy, 16 Clontarf road, Dublin.

SUMNER—May 19, 1944, at her residence, Laragh, 76 Eglinton road, Dublin, Eva, beloved wife of Henry J. Sumner, M.P.S.I., and daughter of the late Thomas Trigge and of Mrs. Trigge, Bushe Lodge, Waterford. Funeral arriving Mount Jerome, 10 o'clock, to-day (Saturday). No flowers. House private.

THOMPSON—May 19, 1944, at his residence, The Castle, Bellaghy, in his 85th year, Dr. George M. Thompson, D.L. Funeral at 2.30 p.m. on Monday next, May 22nd, to Bellaghy Churchyard. No flowers.

WEIGALL—May 17, 1944, at a Dublin hospital, Gerald V. Weigall, aged 73 years. Funeral to-day, 10.30, at Mount Jerome Cemetery.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 6.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

FARRELLY—The mother, sisters and brothers of the late Miss Agnes Farrelly, Oldtown House, Ardagh, Co. Longford (who died in San Francisco), desire to return sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, and to those who sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy. Trusting this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

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FRADLEY—In loving memory of my dear brother, Herbert, who died 20th May, 1941.

FRADLEY—To the beloved memory of darling "Frad" (Herbert Thomas Fradley), who died 20th May, 1941.—"Dee."

McKEON—Second Anniversary—In loving memory of our darling Earle, who died suddenly at Newry, 20th May, 1942. Inserted by his sorrowing parents and brothers.

McKEON—In loving memory of my dear nephew, Earle, who died 20th May, 1942. "Thy Will be done."—Aunt Annie.

SHEPHERD—In loving memory of our darling daughter, Gladys, whom God called Home, May 20th, 1942.

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A NEAT, DETACHED, DOUBLE-FRONTED, SOUNDLY-CONSTRUCTED BUNGALOW, with bay windows and tiled roof. Containing—1 sittingroom, livingroom, with range; 2 bedrooms, hot and cold bath, wash basin separate lavatory, scullery; electric light and gas; yard, tool house, good garden front and rear, side entrance and space for garage. An extra room can be added with a dormer window overhead.

Held for 900 years from January, 1933, subject to £8 per annum. P.L.V., £15.

The Bungalow is situate about 200 yards off Dublin Road. Bus stop at corner of Baldoyle Road.

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MOST IMPORTANT SALE OF INVESTMENT PROPERTY,

WE are instructed by the Trustees of the late P. J. Smyth to dispose of the Estate by Public Auction at an early date next month.

The First Sale will consist of 11 Lots, and will be sold as follows:—

LOT 1.—30 BELGRAVE SQUARE, MONKSTOWN. Let in Flats at reasonable rents, producing	£269 0 0	Per Annum
P.L.V. £65. Deducting headrent and rates	68 10 0	
LEAVES A NET PROFIT OF	£200 10 0	
LOT 2.—31 BELGRAVE SQUARE, MONKSTOWN. Let in Flats, producing an estimated rent of	£264 0 0	„
P.L.V. £49. The basement and drawingroom flats are vacant, but can be readily let. Deducting head rent and rates	54 2 0	
SHOWING AN ESTIMATED NET PROFIT OF	£209 18 0	
LOT 3.—34 BELGRAVE SQUARE, MONKSTOWN. Let in Flats, producing a rent of	£226 0 0	„
P.L.V. £65. Deducting head rent and rates	68 10 0	
LEAVES A NET PROFIT OF	£157 10 0	
LOT 4.—36 BELGRAVE SQUARE, MONKSTOWN. Let in Flats, producing a rent of	£226 0 0	„
P.L.V. £65. Deducting head rent and rates	68 10 0	
LEAVES A NET PROFIT OF	£157 10 0	
The above is held for ever subject to a Perpetual Yearly Fee Farm Rent of £30 0s. 4d. adjusted to £29 6s. 4d. The Property will be Sold subject to a rent of £10 each.		
LOT 5.—32 MONKSTOWN ROAD. This is a two-storey Dwelling, containing 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom & lavatory; electric light, coal-house, outside lavatory; and situate on the tram line. P.L.V. £16. Let at	£ 80 0 0	„
Deducting head rent and rates	19 8 0	
LEAVING A NET PROFIT OF	£ 60 12 0	
LOT 6.—34 MONKSTOWN ROAD. Same accommodation as above. P.L.V. £16. Let at	£ 80 0 0	„
Deducting head rent and rates	19 8 0	
LEAVING A NET PROFIT OF	£ 60 12 0	
LOT 7.—36 MONKSTOWN ROAD. Do. P.L.V. £16. Let at	£ 78 0 0	„
Deducting head rent and rates	19 8 0	
LEAVING A NET PROFIT OF	£ 58 12 0	
LOT 8—42 MONKSTOWN ROAD. Do. Let at	£ 80 0 0	„
P.L.V. £17. Deducting head rent and rates	20 6 0	
LEAVING A NET PROFIT OF	£ 59 14 0	
LOT 9.—44 MONKSTOWN ROAD. Do. Let at	£ 75 0 0	„
P.L.V. £17. Deducting head rent and rates	20 6 0	
LEAVING A NET PROFIT OF	£ 54 14 0	
Held under same title as Belgrave Square. The Houses will be sold subject to £5 p.a. each.		
LOT 10.—HILLCREST, 72 UPR. DRUMCONDRA ROAD. An attractive two-storey House; porch entrance, bay windows; 2 reception rooms, door leading to garden from diningroom; 4 bedrooms, bathroom, tiled kitchen, scullery, lavatory; garden, lean-to greenhouse and fowl-house. Held for 400 years from 1st August, 1903, subject to £7 10s. 0d. per annum. P.L.V. £25. Let at	£ 66 17 0	„
Deducting head rent and rates	33 12 11	
LEAVING A NET PROFIT OF	£ 33 4 1	
LOT 11.—NOS. 31, 33, 41 and 43 RICHMOND ROAD, DRUMCONDRA, will be sold in One Lot. P.L.V. £15 each. These are two-storey, non-basement, pre-1914 Houses, containing sittingroom, livingroom, with range, scullery, 3 bedrooms; outside lavatory, garden, and space for garage. They are let as follows:—No. 31 let at	£ 39 13 0	
„ 33 „ „	40 10 0	
„ 41 „ „	38 1 0	
„ 43 „ „	39 15 0	
Making a gross income of	£157 19 0	
Deducting Head Rent and Rates	86 15 0	
Leaving a Net Profit of	£71 4 0	

The above premises are held for 250 years from 1st March, 1901, and will be sold subject to a rent of £6 on each House.

The Sale of the Ground Rents will take place at a later date.

Conditions of Sale now in preparation and can be obtained from Messrs. BURKE & BURKE, Solicitors having carriage of Sale, 35b Kildare Street, Dublin; or from the Auctioneers.

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FOR OTHER AUCTIONS SEE PAGE 5.

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AUCTION SALE, TUESDAY NEXT, 23rd MAY, 1944, AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN SALEROOMS, AT 2.30 P.M.

42 OAKLEY ROAD, RANELAGH.

Substantial, pre-war, brick and granite-built Residence, situated in this very convenient position, on excellent bus route, and beside a good shopping centre. Accommodation comprises:—Diningroom, drawingroom (folding doors), breakfastroom, 4 bedrooms, bathroom and lavatory, large tiled kitchen, with gas cooker; tiled scullery, pantry, store room; side entrance, garage space, 3 out-buildings; large walled-in garden; electric light and gas. VACANT POSSESSION.

Seen any day after 3 p.m.

Held under Lease for 900 years from 1st May, 1900, subject to a Ground Rent of £7 10s. 0d. per annum. P.L.V., £26.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors—
Messrs. SHANLEY & WALSH, 4 Grafton Street, Dublin;
or from the Auctioneers.

FINE ART SALE,

AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN GALLERIES, ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, 24th MAY, 1944.

A short résumé of some of the Lots is as follows:—Buhl China Cabinet, 3-piece Suite, Mahogany Dwarf Chest, Set 8 Ebonised Mahogany Dining Chairs, Nelson Mahogany Dining Table, Gent's Mahogany Wardrobe, Mahogany Writing Desk, Chippendale Mahogany Sideboard, Oak Roll-top Desk, Chippendale Mahogany Dining Table, Chippendale Mahogany Tallboys, Chippendale Miniature Bureau Bookcase, Chippendale Wing Chair, upholstered in Tapestry; Chippendale Card Table, Sheraton Writing Table, Plated 3-piece Tea Service, English Crystal Rose Bowls and Tumblers, Pair Buhl Corner Cabinets, Pair Carved Satinwood Occasional Chairs, upholstered in gros point; Fork-back Elbow Chair, Oil Paintings, Water Colours and Engravings, Pair Mahogany Brass-bound Plate Brackets, Satinwood Coffee and Curio Table, Sheffield Urn, Antique Brass Fenders, Chests of Drawers, Axminster Carpet, 12 x 9; French Empire Table, Pair Sheraton Wall Cabinets, Sectional Box of Bisque Cameos, Bronzes, etc., etc.

On View, Tuesday, 23rd May, from 10-5 p.m.

AUCTION SALE, WEDNESDAY, 31st MAY, 1944, AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN SALEROOMS, AT 2.30 P.M.,

INTERESTING INVESTMENTS.

FOR AUCTION AS A WHOLE OR IN LOTS.

Nos. 1 (Vacant), 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 (all let), MARTELLO TERRACE, BRAY, TOGETHER WITH THE BATHS (Let to the County Council), GROUND RENT of £10 PER ANNUM out of 2 MARTELLO TERRACE, and £5 PER ANNUM out of COALYARD AT REAR.

TOTAL GROSS INCOME PER £500 ANNUM.

No. 1 Martello Terrace is Vacant, newly decorated throughout, garage at rear. No. 3 is let at £72 per annum. Nos. 4 & 5 are let at £78 per annum each. No. 6 is let at £65 per annum. No. 7 is let in two flats at £52 per annum each. No. 8 is let at £63 per annum. Landlord paying rates in each case. P.L.V of Nos. 1 & 8, £20 each, and Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7, £26 each.

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8 Martello Terrace, Bray are held with other premises for a term of 75 years from 29th September, 1880, at the yearly rent of £72 2s. 0d. (adjusted to £68 12s. 0d.), and for a further 150 years from 29th September, 1955, at the yearly rent of £70. The said Premises will be sold subject to the entire of the rents of £72 2s. 0d. (now adjusted to £68 12s. 0d.) and £70 in indemnification of all other property liable thereto, but indemnified against £10 of the adjusted rent of £68 12s. 0d. by the premises, No. 2 Martello Terrace, being portion of the other property held.

Further particulars & Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors—
Messrs. GOOD & MURRAY, 3 Dawson Street, Dublin;
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FOR AUCTION ON THE SAME DATE,

7 EDEN PARK, SANDYCOVE.

Substantially-built Residence in this favourite situation, in private road, close to tram and bus services, churches, schools and shopping centre. Suitable for private occupation or for conversion into flats. The accommodation is as follows:—3 reception rooms, sun parlour, 4 family bedrooms (h. & c. in 2 bedrooms), bathroom, 2 w.c.s, large kitchen, 2 maids' rooms, pantry, boxroom, store cellar; good garden and outside w.c., back entrance and space for garage; electric light, power and gas throughout. This is a very dry House and has always been maintained in good order and repair.

The Premises are held under an Indenture of Underlease dated 10th May, 1930, for the residue of the term of 30 years (less 3 days) from 1st May, 1930, at the yearly Ground Rent of £15. A Purchaser, or his successor in title, would be entitled to a Reversionary Lease for 99 years under the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1931. P.L.V., £35. VACANT POSSESSION. View by appointment with the Auctioneers.

Further particulars & Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors—
Messrs. ARTHUR COX & CO., 42 Stephen's Green, Dublin;
or from the Auctioneers—

AUCTION SALE ON WEDNESDAY, 7th JUNE, 1944

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY SOLD PRIVATELY),

AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN SALEROOMS, at 2.30 p.m.,

2 CARLTON VILLAS, LANSDOWNE ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE, DUBLIN.

Handsome, double-fronted, non-basement Family Residence, magnificently constructed of red brick. Affording very ample accommodation, this residence is beautifully proportioned and most compact in design. Facing the Botanic Gardens, and not overlooked at the rear, the situation is ideal and most convenient, being beside rail and tram.

The accommodation is as follows:—Large hall, cloakroom, drawingroom, Diningroom, study, 5 good-sized family bedrooms, maid's room, modern bathroom and separate lavatory, tiled kitchen, with Beeston boiler and Regulo gas cooker; large pantry, with built-in cupboards, scullery, conservatory; usual out offices. Power plugs are fitted throughout the house, and there is an Esse stove in the study. Telephone.

Good deep garden in front and large secluded garden at rear, enclosed by 6ft. walls. Full-sized garage. The property has been well maintained, and is in good order throughout. Vacant possession. P.L.V., £40. Held under lease, 150 years from March, 1885, subject to £10 per annum. Seen on Auctioneers Order to View any day, 3-6 p.m.; or by appointment.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors—
Messrs. KENNEDY & McGONAGLE, 34 Upper O'Connell Street; or from the Auctioneers.

FOR AUCTION ON THE SAME DATE,

15 SEAFIELD AVENUE, CLONTARF.

Spacious semi-detached, modern house, with large bay windows. Well situated in this healthy locality, on an excellent Bus route. The accommodation is as follows:—Hall, two good-sized reception rooms with handsome fire-places and folding doors, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, separate lavatory. Good-sized breakfast parlour, with boiler grate. Light and power plugs throughout the house. Usual out-offices. Large Gardens. Garage. Vacant Possession. P.L.V. £27. Held on a Long Lease, subject to £10 per annum. View after 3 o'clock any day.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF EXECUTORS.

AUCTION SALE IN FIVE LOTS,

On WEDNESDAY, 14th JUNE, AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN SALEROOMS, at 2.30 p.m.

ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENTS.

THREE HOUSES LET TO TENANTS, AND FEE-SIMPLE GROUND RENTS.

LOT 1.—No. 12 Terenure Road, East—Fine substantial House, let to Mr. Patrick Brooder, on monthly tenancy, at a yearly rent of £96 per annum, landlord paying rates. The garage, No. 6 Harrison Row, at the rear, is sub-let to Mr. Patrick Kieran on a yearly tenancy, at a rent of £27 6s. 0d. per annum, landlord paying rates. Both the foregoing premises are held under lease for a term of 999 years from 29th September, 1862, subject to a yearly Ground Rent of £3 13s. 0d.

LOT 2.—No. 14 Terenure Road, East—Fine substantial House, let to Mrs. Harley, on a yearly tenancy, at a yearly rent of £100 per annum, landlord paying rates. The premises are held for a term of 999 years from 1869, subject to the yearly Ground Rent of £4 17s. 6d.

LOT 3.—Fee-simple Ground Rents of £7 3s. 9d. and £5 19s. 9d., issuing respectively out of messuages known as No. 1 and 2 Cambridge Terrace, off Northbrook Road, Leeson Park.

LOT 4.—Fee-simple Ground Rent of £18, issuing out of the messuage known as 16 Louis Terrace, Fairview, in the City of Dublin.

LOT 5.—The Dwellinghouse known as Maryville, 31 Ulverton Road, Dalkey, which is let to Mr. Jeremiah O'Sullivan, on a monthly tenancy, at a yearly rent of £55 0s. 0d. per annum. The premises are held under a reversionary lease for 109 years from 1st January, 1862 subject to an apportioned yearly Ground Rent of £6 per annum.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors—
Messrs. J. T. DOYLE & CO., 58 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin; or from the Auctioneers.

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AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

SALE TUESDAY NEXT, at 2 p.m.

64 GARVILLE AVENUE, RATHGAR.

Non-basement, two-storey House, 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom w.c., kitchen, with patent range; electric light and gas; large garden at rear, and rear entrance. Vacant possession. Held, with other premises, for 999 years from 1879 and sold primarily liable to £4 16s. 3d. per annum. P.L.V. £27. Keys with Auctioneers
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HAMILTON AND HAMILTON

FOR AUCTION,
On THURSDAY, the 25th of MAY, 1944,
At 2.30 p.m., in our Salerooms, 17 DAWSON STREET,

49 GRAFTON STREET, DUBLIN.

Magnificent Business Premises, consisting of Shop, Basement and three floors overhead. Splendidly situated near top of Grafton Street. A complete new front has been fitted with separate entrance to upper part. Newly decorated. WOULD MAKE A SOUND INVESTMENT AS WE HAVE A NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS FOR RENTING.

Approximate frontage of shop, 21 feet. Approximate depth of shop, 45 feet.

REAR ENTRANCE TO SHOP FROM ANNE'S LANE.

Dry Basement with Toilet.

First Floor, 2 rooms. Second Floor, 2 rooms. Toilet, H.B.

Third Floor—Self-contained flat, comprising 3 rooms, kitchenette and bathroom coal-house. Electric light and gas throughout.

VACANT POSSESSION OF ENTIRE.

Lease 125 years from 1931, subject to £400 per annum. P.L.V., £240.

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KNAPTON,

KNAPTON ROAD, MONKSTOWN, Co. Dublin

Highly elevated, on approximately 2 acres, situated beyond de Vesci Terrace. 5 minutes' walk from tram, Knapton is a magnificently-built Residence, with nice views. The grounds are well laid-out and easy of upkeep, containing: Lawn; walled, fully stocked fruit and vegetable gardens, forcing house, tool house, potting shed, back entrance; yard, with 3 garages, loose box, 2 stalls, storehouse; splendid loft, with 2 living rooms and apple room.

ACCOMMODATION: Hall, inner Hall, closet lavatory and hand basin; storeroom, double drawingroom, diningroom, with French doors to garden; study (all exceptionally bright); recreation room, 6 family bed and dressing rooms (h & c. water in principal bedrooms), 2 bathrooms and separate lavatories, linen room, 1 maid's large bedroom, tiled kitchen; e.l. and gas, separate hot water supply; good range of domestic offices; central heating throughout.

Held under two Leases for 99 years from 1866, subject to two rents amounting to £40 per annum.

P.L.V., £75 on Buildings, £10 on Lands.

SEEN ONLY ON OUR "ORDER TO VIEW."

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GARTAN, CHURCHTOWN, DUNDRUM

(CLOSE TO ARDTONA SHOP).

Well-built, semi-detached Residence conveniently situated, on splendid bus route; close to the Milltown Golf Links; in very good order and repair; back and front gardens.

ACCOMMODATION: Hall, cloak cupboard, 2 reception rooms, study, tiled kitchen, Ideal boiler; e.l., power and gas; scullery, with sink; pantry, covered-in coal house and lavatory, 4 bedrooms, bathroom and separate lavatory, large garage and house adjoining, suitable for storage of bicycles, etc.

VACANT POSSESSION.

Lease for 500 years, subject to £10 per annum. P.L.V.—Building, £23 15s. 0d.; Lands., 5s. 0d.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply:
Messrs. WHITE & MEARES, Solicitors, 41 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

STANHILL, 141 TEMPLEOGUE ROAD, TERENURE.

Exceptionally attractive, semi-detached, double-fronted, modern Residence, situated in secluded district, with open aspect of the Dublin Mountains; on bus route, 8 minutes from tram terminus, shops, churches, etc. This Residence is in faultless decorative order and repair throughout.

ACCOMMODATION: Tiled porch, hall 3 reception rooms, conservatory, spacious kitchen, with Triplex range, built-in press and chest of drawers, pantry; extra large scullery, 2 sinks, gas boiler, 4 family bedrooms (h. & c. in one), maid's room, bathroom, geyser, separate w.c.; e.l. and power plugs throughout; gas.

OUT-OFFICES: Fuel House, 2 extra out-houses, w.c., large garage and greenhouse; extensive and well-stocked gardens.

VACANT POSSESSION.

Lease 999 years from 1924, subject to £10 per annum. P.L.V., £30 per annum.

SEEN ONLY BY APPOINTMENT WITH THE AGENTS.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply:
STEPHEN E. LAW, Esq., Solicitor 60 Dawson Street, Dublin.

On THURSDAY, 1st JUNE, 1944,
AT 2.30 P.M., IN OUR SALEROOMS, 17 DAWSON STREET,

59 MARLBOROUGH ROAD, DONNYBROOK.

A most conveniently situated, pre-war Residence, with good gardens; in sound structural order; side entrance, space for garage.

ACCOMMODATION: Spacious hall, 2 good reception rooms, with folding doors; 3 family bedrooms (h. & c. in one), bathroom and separate w.c., large tiled kitchen, gas cooker, maid's room and maid's toilet (w.c. and h. & c.); larder, coal house; e.l. throughout, gas.

VACANT POSSESSION.

Held for 480 years from 14th January, 1861, subject to £14 8s. 0d., but indemnified against half thereof by No. 57 Marlborough Road. P.L.V., £31.

SEEN BY APPOINTMENT WITH THE AGENTS.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply:
HENRY B. LINEHAN, Esq., Solicitor, 111 Grafton Street, Dublin.

SPRINGMOUNT,

BALKILL ROAD, HOWTH, CO. DUBLIN.

Magnificently-built, pre-war, semi-detached, non-basement Residence, in a highly elevated position, commanding splendid views; beside the Hill tram; within easy reach of bus route.

ACCOMMODATION: Hall, 3 reception room 3 double family bedrooms, 1 dressing-room, 1 maid's room, bathroom and separate w.c.; kitchen, scullery, pantry, all tiled; separate hot water supply; e.l. and gas; yard with two out-houses; garden and large field at rear, which is at present let on the eleven months' system at £3 10s., which would make a splendid building site.

VACANT POSSESSION.

Lease for 150 years from 1868, subject to £8 per annum, but indemnified against half thereof. P.L.V., £36.

SEEN BY APPOINTMENT.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply:
Messrs. O'CONNOR & DUDLEY, Solicitors, 1 College Street, Dublin.

ON THURSDAY, 8th JUNE, 1944,
AT 2.30 P.M., IN OUR SALEROOMS, 17 DAWSON STREET, DUBLIN.

8 LAVARNA GROVE

(OFF KIMMAGE ROAD, EAST),

TERENURE.

Splendid, detached, modern, red-bricked, non-basement Residence, in perfect decorative order and repair, with large gardens and garage, on excellent bus route. Easily one of the best houses in the Grove. The rooms are large and bright, with bay windows; fine open views.

ACCOMMODATION:—Porch, panelled hall with cloakroom, diningroom, drawingroom, breakfast room, 4 family bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom, hot press, and separate w.c., large tiled kitchen, built-in cupboards, pantry. Electric light, power and gas. Large fuel house and w.c. outside.

SEEN ONLY BY APPOINTMENT. VACANT POSSESSION.

Lease 498 years from 1st May 1937, subject to £12 p.a. P.L.V., £27.

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192, 194, & 194a RATHMINES RD., LOWER

SPLENDID SHOP PREMISES, SITUATED BESIDE THE TOWN HALL. SUITABLE FOR ALMOST ANY BUSINESS. ALSO OF INTEREST TO INVESTORS. Frontage approx. 21', with two good display windows; good depth. Large room at rear, into which the shop could be extended; side entrance to lane; 2 large storerooms and lavatory; e.l. and gas.

194.—A Private Dwelling, adjoining, containing:—Ground floor: 1 room, kitchen, scullery and bathroom, door to garden which enjoys a frontage of approx. 66' to the laneway; first floor: lavatory, 2 large rooms; top floor: 3 rooms.

194a.—Large garage, loft, and e.l.

VACANT POSSESSION OF THE ENTIRE.

Held for ever under Indenture of Fee-Farm Grant dated 17th December, 1879, subject to the adjusted Fee-Farm Rent of £40 5s. 9d. per annum. P.L.V., £65.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply:
Messrs. CARTAN, O'MEARA & KIERAN, Solicitors, 12 Clare St., Dublin.

61 THE RISE, MOUNT MERRION, Co. Dublin.

Modern, semi-detached Residence, in excellent repair, with garden and garage. Close to shops, churches and transport.

ACCOMMODATION: Hall with small cloakroom, 2 reception rooms, kitchen with range and fitted cupboard, 3 bedrooms, with sun balcony off one; bathroom, hot press, and separate w.c.; electricity and gas; 2 outdoor coalhouses; air-raid shelter.

VACANT POSSESSION.

Lease 900 years from 20th March, 1936, subject to £9 per annum. P.L.V., £23 10s. 0d.

SEEN BY APPOINTMENT.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply:
Messrs. DANIEL PURCELL & SON, Solicitors, 16 Dawson St., Dublin.

ARDEEN, 18 CASTLEPARK ROAD, SANDYCOVE, CO. DUBLIN.

A most attractive, modern, semi-detached Residence, in good order and repair, situated in most secluded residential district, near tram and train services, churches, etc. Good gardens, garage and outhouses.

ACCOMMODATION: Hall, 2 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, breakfastroom, kitchen, separate w.c., pantry, etc.; e.l., power throughout, and gas; outside w.c. and fuel house.

VACANT POSSESSION.

Proby Lease for 148 years from 25th March, 1927, subject to £12 10s. 0d. p.a. P.L.V. £30 10s. 0d.

SEEN ONLY BY APPOINTMENT.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply:
BRENDAN T. WALSH, Esq., Solicitor, 4-5 Trinity Street, Dublin.

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AUCTIONEERS, ESTATE AGENTS & VALUERS, M.I.A.A.
17 DAWSON STREET, DUBLIN. Tel. 75438 (2 lines).

"BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS"

Established 1815.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—Florence H. Dease, Deceased.

TUESDAY NEXT, at 12 o'c.

Having Sold the Residence, ST. DECLAN'S, KILLINEY.

(NEAR BALLYBRACK BUS & RAIL STATION.)

RESIDUE FURNITURE, CHINA, RADIO, "BECHSTEIN" PIANO, GARDEN EFFECTS.

Comprising briefly:—Rosewood Case Grand Piano, by Bechstein; "H.M.V." Electric Radio, in Walnut Case; Boule Table inlaid Walnut Cabinet on Queen Anne style Stand, Chesterfield, Divan and Easy Chairs, Antique Mahogany Torchere, Mahogany Pedestal Writing Desks, Oak Revolving Bookcase, Quantity of Books, Inlaid Mahogany Serpentine-fronted Open Sideboard 4 Hepplewhite Chairs, Water-colours and other Pictures, Ornamental China, Antique Brassware, Cut Glass Electric Table Lamp, Axminster Carpets, Mahogany Bedroom Furniture, Pair Brass Twin Beds, Table Glass and China, Silver (Georgian Silver-handled Table Knives), etc. Plated Ware and Cutlery, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, 'Hoover.' GARDEN EFFECTS:—"Shanks" 12" Lawn Mower, 'Pennsylvania' Edging Mower Garden Tools, Ladders, Garden Seats and Chairs, Workbench and Tools, large quantity of Greenhouse Plants, etc.

View Monday, 10-5 o'c. Ticket, 1/-. Terms—Cash & 5% Fees.

WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 2.30 p.m.,

At Our Property Salerooms, 39 Westmoreland Street

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

ALEXANDRA HOUSE, 12 GILFORD RD., SANDYMOUNT.

S/detached, non-basement, brick-built House. In good decorative order. 2 sitting, 5 bedrooms, bathroom (h. & c.), kitchen, etc.; electric and gas; gardens, side entrance, space for garage. Lease 149 years from 1903 at £4 18s. 0d. P.L.V., £25. Seen on Order. Photo, Auctioneers. Messrs. A. COX & CO., Solicitors, 42/3 Stephen's Green.

58 ELLESMERE AVE., N. CIR. ROAD.

Well-built, brick House. Convenient position. 2 sitting, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen; electric and gas; "Beeston" boiler. Lease 200 years at £5. P.L.V., £20. Key, 213 N. Cir. Road. Messrs. J. P. J. SMYTH & CO., Solicitors, 39 Lr. Ormond Quay.

EIRE.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—IN BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of

SYDNEY EDWIN COOPER, of 5 South Frederick Street, Dublin, Bankrupt.

We have received instructions from JAMES J. DOYLE, Esq., Official Assignee in Bankruptcy, to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS, WEDNESDAY, 24th MAY, at 2.30 p.m., FOUR MOTOR CARS, including Morris 8 h.p. Van, Morris 12 h.p. Truck, Hillman 10 h.p Saloon Car, Sunbeam 21 h.p. Saloon Car, full particulars of which may be had from Auctioneers.

And on FRIDAY, 2nd JUNE, 12 o'c.,

ANTIQUE & MODERN FURNITURE, MOTOR CAR, Etc

AT ANGLESEY, KILLINEY,

DETAILS OF WHICH WILL APPEAR IN LATER ADVERTISEMENTS.

TUESDAY, 6th JUNE, at 12 o'c.

FURNITURE, ELECTRIC & GAS COOKERS, Etc.

27 ADELAIDE STREET, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

Our Property Sale on 8th JUNE will include:

46 GROSVENOR ROAD RATHGAR.

VACANT POSSESSION.

LEICESTER LODGE, LEICESTER AVENUE, RATHGAR. SOUND INVESTMENT.

Full details later advertisements, or from Auctioneers meanwhile.
J. MALVERN WHITE, LL.B., Solicitor, 5 College Street.

BATTERSBY & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A., F.A.I.,
39 WESTMORELAND ST., DUBLIN.

ALLEN & TOWNSEND.

FURNITURE AUCTION.

67 GROSVENOR ROAD, RATHGAR.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31st, at 12 o'clock sharp.

HAVING SOLD THE HOUSE.

WE are further instructed to Sell the Furniture and Effects as follows:—Antique Chippendale Hall Chest, Ebonized China Cabinet, Set 8 Mahogany Dining Chairs, with leather seats, Set 6 Mahogany Dining Chairs, Mahogany Expanding Dining Table, Walnut Dining Table, Mahogany Sideboard, Chesterfield, very large quantity of Plate—Entree Dishes, Coffee and Teapots, Breakfast Warmer, Cake Stands, Sauce-boats, Spoons, Forks, etc. Large Oriental Bowl, Occasional Chairs and Tables, Hallstand, Carpets; Chelsea, Ironstone and Wedgwood Ornaments; Violin; Walnut Single Beds, Hair Mattresses, Eiderdowns, Satin-walnut and other Bedroom Suites; Persian Rugs, Kitchen Furniture, Garden Seat, and usual Furniture.

On View Tuesday, May 30th, from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission to View and Sale 1/-.

PROPERTY AUCTION,

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

THURSDAY, JUNE 1st,

115 ANGLESEA ROAD, DONNYBROOK.

Vacant Possession.

One of these ever-popular Brookfield Terrace houses, in nice order. 2 reception, breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, w.c., kitchen, etc.; large garden and garage. G. Rent, £7 10s. 0d. Long Lease. P.L.V., £37.

Seen only by appointment.

Messrs. HORAN & DEVINE, 12 Dame Street, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

ALSO

ST. JOHN'S, BLANCHARDSTOWN.

PRETTY, DETACHED BUNGALOW.

Solicitors: Messrs. FETHERSTONHAUGH & CARTER, 11 Molesworth Street.

FURNITURE AUCTION, JUNE 6th.

KILL ABBEY, DEANS' GRANGE.

HAVING Sold this historic residence, we are further instructed to dispose of an interesting residue of Furniture. Full details in future advertisements.

PROPERTY AUCTION.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7th, at 10 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

WELL-SECURED FEE-SIMPLE and OTHER RENTS and LEASEHOLD PROPERTY,

TOTALLING OVER £208 P.A.

LOT 1.—Fee-simple Rent of £11 15s. 0d. out of 68, 69 and 70 Ranelagh road, one collection. P.L.V. £86. Held in Fee-simple, and sub-leased for 200 years from 1844.

LOT 2.—Fee-simple Rent of £5 9s. 0d. out of 83 Ranelagh road. P.L.V. £41. Held in Fee-simple, and sub-leased for 200 years from 1845.

LOT 3.—Fee-simple Rent of £5 9s. 0d. out of 84 Ranelagh road. P.L.V. £39. Held in Fee-simple, and sub-leased for 200 years from 1845.

LOT 4.—Fee-simple Rent of £10 15s. 0d. out of 90 and 91 Ranelagh road, one collection. P.L.V. £52. Held in Fee-simple, and sub-leased for 200 years from 1845.

LOT 5.—Ground Rent of £15 1s. 0d. out of 19-27 (odd) Arnott street, S.C. road, one collection. P.L.V. £84. Held for ever under Landed Estates Court Conveyance, subject to a rent of £28 6s. 6½d., but indemnified against the entire of same by the premises 29, 31 and 33 Arnott street, 6-11 Desmond street, and Nos. 1-10 and 15-28 Vernon street, S.C. road. Sub-leased for 900 years from 1872.

LOT 6.—Ground Rents totalling £16 4s. 6d. out of 17, 38, 40, 42 and 44 Arnott street, 5 collections. P.L.V £83. Same tenure and indemnity as Lot 5. Sub-leased for 900 years from various dates.

LOT 7.—Rent of £40 p.a. out of 46-50 (even) Arnott street (formerly 46 and 46A). One collection. P.L.V. £47. Same tenure and indemnity as Lots 5 and 6. Sub-leased for 800 years from 1902.

LOT 8.—£104 (approx.) p.a. out of 2 Connaught Place, Clonskeagh. A double-fronted, non-basement house, let in three flats producing £156 p.a. P.L.V. £37 (revised). Will be sold subject to £13 p.a. for 855 years from 1944. A recommended investment. Further particulars from the Auctioneers; or the Solicitors having Carriage of Sale: Messrs. McCRACKEN & SON, 94 Grafton Street.

IMPORTANT BOOK AUCTION,

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14th,

IN AID OF THE MOUNT STREET CLUB.

FULL DETAILS IN FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS.

In the meantime, the Auctioneers appeal for further Books to be included in this Sale.

PROPERTY AUCTION,

MONDAY, JUNE 19th, 1944, AT THE RESIDENCE

(Unless previously disposed of).

By direction of the Trustees of the Will of the late J. W. Brittain, Esq.

KILRONAN, ANGLESEA ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE.

The property to be sold consists of a most desirable Detached House, standing in 3 acres 3 roods, Statute, of perfectly laid-out pleasure grounds, together with a ground rent of £56 per annum payable out of 4 houses on Anglesea road, and a field, having an area of 10 acres 1 rood 2 perches, with road access from Ailesbury Grove. The property will be offered in two lots, as follows:—

LOT 1.—The Residence and 3 acres 3 roods, together with the rent of £56 p.a. payable out of the 4 houses.

LOT 2.—The Field, with area as above.

Lot 1.—The House, which is brick-built over granite undercourse, stands three stories high, and is approached by a beautiful shrub-bordered avenue direct from Anglesea road. The accommodation comprises:—Large drawingroom and diningroom with balcony windows, each about 22' x 18' study a morningroom. The drawingroom is fitted with an Adam mantelpiece, and the diningroom has a beautiful Chippendale service hatch cover. Downstairs cloakroom, with h. and c., etc. On the first floor there are four bedrooms corresponding in size to the reception rooms, 3 of which are fitted with h. and c. basins; bathroom, with access from fourth and principal bedroom, and also from landing; also a second bathroom, sep. w.c. On the ground floor there are a nursery or schoolroom, 2 maids' bedrooms, tiled kitchen with Aga cooker and Ideal domestic boiler, adequate pantries, etc. Special features include:—Double service lift to diningroom, house telephone, linen chute, gas, electricity and power plugs. State telephone with extension to bedroom. The pleasure grounds include:—A peachhouse and vinery, 180 feet long, fernery, tennis court, croquet lawn, etc. There is a 3-roomed lodge at entrance gates and a groom's house in yard; garage for 9 cars, stabling for 4 horses, tyings for 2 cows, etc.; private petrol pump. Vacant possession of entire of Lot 1 on completion. P.L.V.: Land £12, buildings £95. The rent of £56 per annum arises out of Nos. 32, 34, 36 and 38 Anglesea road, total P.L.V. £145 10s. 0d., and is payable in one collection.

Lot 2.—The Field provides space for building at least 40 houses, and offers unique opportunities for post-war building development. P.L.V. £33 10s. 0d.

TENURE.—The entire property is held under lease for 150 years from 25th March, 1869, subject to a rent of £112 p.a., adjusted to £108 19s. 0d., together with a penal rent of £6 1s. 0d. p.a., making a total of £115 p.a. Lot 1 will be sold subject to this rent of £115 p.a., and Lot 2 will be sold indemnified against payment of the entire rent by Lot 1. Photographs and maps are available at our offices.

Further particulars may be obtained from us; or from the Solicitor having Carriage of Sale—S. G. RUTHERFORD, Esq., 22 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin.

ALLEN & TOWNSEND,
F.S.I., M.I.A.A., Auctioneers, Chartered Surveyors and Valuers,
10 STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN. 'Phone 72691/2.

GOOD & GANLY.

HOLLYWOOD HOUSE, 10 PALMERSTON PARK, DARTRY, DUBLIN.

(EXECUTOR'S SALE—F. LAMBART BARRETT, Decd.).

FREEHOLD—DETACHED, ON ONE ACRE.

WE have been instructed to SELL THE ABOVE PROPERTY, IN OUR SALEROOMS, BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on THURSDAY, 1st JUNE, at 2.30 p.m.

Hollywood House is an exceptionally fine, spacious, detached, non-basement Residence, in absolutely first-class condition. The Residence, which stands in its own grounds of one acre, overlooks Palmerston Park and commands a fine view of the Dublin Mountains. Convenient tram and bus services.

Accommodation (Ground Floor):—Reception and lounge hall, with inlaid figured parquet floor; finely-proportioned drawingroom with polished oak floor, diningroom, library; bright, tiled, well-equipped kitchen; gas cooker, Nu-turf range, domestic boiler, pantries, scullery, laundry, larder; cloakroom, h. & c. separate servants' quarters, with bathroom. Upstairs—Billiard room, 7 family bedrooms (2 with h. & c.), dressingrooms, 2 luxuriously-fitted bathrooms. Separate tradesmen's entrance to yard, containing fuel houses and w.c.

The secluded, walled gardens are laid out with tennis court, flower beds, fruit trees, vegetables and summer house; tool house, greenhouse; central heated garage for 3 cars; covered washing yard.

The House, which is compact and easily run, is equipped throughout with all modern conveniences, including electric light, power plugs, gas, telephone, etc.

The Auctioneers wish to draw special attention to this Property, as it is one of the finest which has come on the market for some time.

FURNITURE AUCTION AT A LATER DATE.

FREEHOLD. P.L.V., £88. Garage and adjoining Vegetable Garden. Long Lease. P.L.V., £8 10s. 0d. G. Rent, £5.

VIEW, 4-8 p.m. DAILY, SUNDAYS EXCEPTED, OR BY APPOINTMENT WITH AUCTIONEERS.

Solicitors—Messrs. BEAUCHAMP & ORR, 5 Foster Place, Dublin.

NEW HOUSES.

WOODLAND PARK ESTATE,

MOUNT MERRION AVE., BLACKROCK.

WE have been appointed Sole Agents for the above Estate by Messrs. Marsh Bros., Builders.

There are at present available two very attractive, new, semi-detached Houses. The accommodation in each consists of spacious hall, dining and drawing rooms (approx. 12' x 13'), with French windows and folding doors; tiled kitchen, pantries, scullery, etc.; large bathroom, with h. and c. washbasin; separate w.c.; 4 bedrooms (two with fireplaces); elec. light and power plugs throughout, gas, walled-in garden, garage. Decorations will be completed to suit purchaser's requirements.

VIEW DAILY, 9-5 P.M. SUNDAY, 2-4 P.M.

Lease 500 years. G. Rent £11 each.

Full details as to price, etc., from the Auctioneers:—

GOOD & GANLY,
M.I.A.A., Surveyors, Valuers and Auctioneers,
20 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN. Tel. 62468.

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